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PRICE TWO CENTS.

POLICE CENSUS SHOWS 26,303

Of That Number 16,322 Are Voters in Kingston at the Next Election—Women Voters Outnumber Men.

The police census recently completed under the direction of Chief of Police J. Allan Wood shows a population of 26,303 in this city. Of that number there are 16,322 voters. The women who can vote number 8,887 while the men voters number but 7,435.

The census figures as compiled by the police by wards are given below.

Wards	Total Pop.	Men Voters	Women Voters	Aliens	Colored
1	1671	445	784	71	23
2	2985	904	1107	71	29
3	2980	889	974	60	106
4	2658	651	711	270	31
5	1825	473	453	274	105
6	2255	527	533	496	70
7	1991	465	625	76	25
8	1325	382	511	22	5
9	1511	467	548	27	6
10	2242	706	878	49	70
11	1627	500	658	30	10
12	2435	750	916	26	12
13	798	226	225	46	38
Total	26303	7435	8887	1527	530

Total number of voters, 16,322.

\$2,000,000 FIRE IN INDIANAPOLIS

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 14.—Two million dollars was the loss estimated today in the fire which destroyed the Industrial Building, a number of small business houses and a dozen residences here last night. It was the most costly conflagration in the city's history, and the fourth million dollar fire in thirty years.

Firemen today were searching the smoldering debris of what was a five-story building covering an entire block, to learn if any lives were lost. Local authorities place credence in the belief that the fire was of incendiary origin, started by alien enemies with the purpose of wiping out a number of industries working on war orders for the United States government and the Entente governments. Twenty-three factories occupied the building and all were wiped out.

Firemen were hampered by the zero weather and snow and many times the lives of the fire fighters were endangered by falling walls. Scores of families were forced to flee their homes when the high wind carried sparks and flaming timbers for blocks, setting fire to many dwellings.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY



LEWIS WEINSTEIN.

Company B, 107th U. S. Infantry, Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C.

Jack Newkirk has enlisted as first-class seaman in the Naval Reserves at Palsade Park and expects to be called into service in a short time. Mr. Newkirk is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newkirk and a member of the staff of The Freeman.

Earl H. Cranston, who enlisted as a draftsman in the Aviation Corps, has been transferred from San Antonio, Texas, to Waco, about 200 miles north of his former camp. Private Cranston is the son of the Rev. George M. Cranston, pastor of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church.

James J. Murphy, Jr., of 41 Brewster street, a former student of Ulster Academy and a graduate of Kingston High School, has successfully passed the examination for the flying branch of the Aviation Corps. Mr. Murphy for the past five months has been enrolled in the construction quartermaster corps at Camp Upton, L. I. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Murphy and was engaged in the quartermaster's corps at Camp Upton during its construction.

BOTH BROTHERS NOW IN SERVICE

Charles H. DeLaVergne, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. DeLaVergne of Clinton avenue, has been enlisted as a cadet in the Royal Flying Corps, for which he was examined in New York city some time ago, and is now stationed at Camp Borden, Ontario, Canada, for preliminary training. Mr. DeLaVergne has been attending Union University at Schenectady and for several months has been endeavoring to enlist in the aviation service of the United States. Having failed in his physical examination for that and other branches of the service, he applied for enlistment in the Royal Flying Corps, for which he has been accepted as a cadet.

Dr. DeLaVergne's brother, Louis D. B. DeLaVergne for some time has been stationed in France, where he is second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery. He received his preliminary training at Plattsburg in the summer of 1916, and last summer was in training at Madison Barracks and at Fort Monroe, Va. He went to France in September.

Fire Loss Paid Promptly.

Archibald R. and Addison D. Pardee, principals of Pardee's Insurance Agency, received a letter from James D. Shefts of Lackawack, N. Y., commenting on the unusual promptness in the adjustment of fire loss sustained to the hotel property which was destroyed by fire on the afternoon of December 12, 1917. Insurance was carried by Pardee on the "Lackawack House" for \$6,000, policies of the Home Insurance Company of New York and the Liverpool and London and Globe Ins. Ltd., each carrying \$3,000 on the hotel property, loss being paid without discount.

More Questionnaires Sent Out.

The Local Board of Division No. 3 has mailed questionnaires to registrants whose order numbers are between 1851 and 1950, inclusive, on January 12, 1918. They are to be filled out within seven days from date and returned to the local board.

Shopping Quite Brisk.

Most of the local stores are having their special January sales held as usual, just before taking inventory, and the incentive of many bargains has stimulated shopping.

Deer Chased By Dogs.

A deer was chased last week by dogs through Rhinecliff and across the ice to a point above Kingston Point, where the dogs were driven off. Game Protector Philbrick is investigating the incident.

MUTINEERS SLAY RUSSIAN OFFICERS

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Copenhagen, Jan. 14.—A terrible massacre of Russian naval officers of the Black Sea fleet, by Bolshevik sailors was reported from Sebastopol today. At least sixty officers, four of them admirals, were said to have been slain during a two-days orgy of bloodshed.

A general was taken from the garrison and executed, when he attempted to have loyal troops interfere. All of the officers of one ship were taken to Malakoff Tower and shot. The streets were littered with corpses of officers and men shot down in the fighting.

ALIEN GERMANS MUST REGISTER

At Police Headquarters—February 4th to 9th Are Dates Fixed—Chief Wood Estimates About 100 Who Who Must Register in City.

All German alien enemies in Kingston must register with the local police department commencing February 4. The registration list will be closed February 9. Chief of Police J. Allan Wood, who will have charge of the registration in this city, estimates that there are about one hundred in Kingston who must comply with the law.

This registration of German aliens is required by President Wilson's proclamation of November 16 of last year. Every male German alien over the age of 14 years must comply with the law. The time of registration starts at 6 o'clock the morning of February 4th and any alien may register between that until 8 p. m. the evening of February 9 when the list closes.

Women are not required to register.

All German aliens who under the law must register are required to call at police headquarters. They must bring with them four unmounted photographs of themselves not larger than 3 by 5 inches in size on thin paper with light background. All four photos should be signed by the registrant across the face of the photo so as not to obscure the face of the registrant. If the registrant is unable to write, his thumb print will be taken.

While not required to register until February 4th all German aliens who do not thoroughly understand the ruling of the government should pay a visit to police headquarters where they will be given full information.

Fifteen days after registration the registrant will be furnished with a card. The registration is done in the form of affidavits in triplicate. The penalty attached for not registering is internment until after the war. There are also other penalties attached.

It is not expected that there will be any trouble in Kingston over the registration.

CHICAGO TRAINS BEGIN TO MOVE

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Chicago, Jan. 14.—The Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, which Saturday cancelled all schedules for the first time in years, announced today that outbound trains were leaving on schedule time.

A limited train service to eastern points was put into effect this morning, the first train to leave being the Metropolitan Express for New York at 8:45 o'clock. One train for Pittsburgh was sent out by the Pennsylvania Railroad at 9:35 o'clock last night.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, of the New York Central lines, dispatched the Twentieth Century Limited and other through trains as usual.

On the Monon, Illinois Central and Michigan Central lines no attempt was made yesterday to operate trains, but a limited schedule was inaugurated today. The Pennsylvania has resumed its Panhandle service, sending out its Atlantic train to New York, Pittsburgh, Columbus and Washington.

Scores of trains bound to and from Chicago, however, are still snow bound at outlying points.

It is estimated that six hundred snow bound passengers are being fed at the expense of the Pennsylvania Railroad at Fort Wayne, Ind., while in other sections trains and passengers have been snow bound for many hours.

A Narrow Escape.

While going up the steep hill at Cornwall, near the New York Military Academy at Cornwall, the bolt holding the whiffletree of a car which in which there was a party of young people on the way to a Red Cross benefit dance, came out, and the sleek nearly went over a big embankment. The horses started to run away but were caught before much damage was done.

EVERY TAXPAYER TO RECEIVE TAX BILL

Innovation by City Treasurer Canfield Will Save Much Time and Annoyance to Taxpayers of Kingston—Bills to Be Sent as Soon as Tax Roll is Received.

City Clerk Doremus has notified the city treasurer that the tax roll will be completed and turned over to the latter official January 29th.

The collection of taxes will begin on February 1st and continue without fee until March 3rd. The city treasurer is now arranging to issue official tax statements, containing description of property owned in each ward and amount of taxes due thereon, the same to be mailed to every taxpayer about the first of February.

This plan will involve an unusual amount of work at the city treasurer's office during the remainder of this month, as there are over 4,000 citizens on the tax roll, the convenience and other advantages to taxpayers will at once be apparent.

This plan will give to every citizen listed on the tax roll, ample opportunity to carefully examine his or her tax bill previous to settlement of same.

Another decided advantage will be the time saved each citizen making payment at the city hall, as the location and description of property and all other data required by law will have already been entered on statement, and when presented, it will be necessary only to check tax bill, by number, with corresponding data on file at office, fill in signature and date of payment.

To make this plan effective, those who call at city hall to make payment will be requested to bring tax statement with them, as in the case of similar transactions in the best business houses, and likewise checks or money orders sent in by mail should be accompanied by the tax bill as previously rendered.

Undoubtedly several transfers of property have been made since August when the assessment roll was made up, and all real estate men or other citizens who have knowledge of such transfers of ownership, are kindly requested to aid the city officials responsible for the tax roll, by giving such information to them as soon as possible, before tax bills are sent out.

Citizens can co-operate, also, by omitting the customary telephone or written requests for tax bills, during the next two weeks, made unnecessary by the plan now adopted, as the city treasurer and his assistant will need to devote every moment of their time from now until February 1st to the preparing and mailing of tax statements.

THREE INSURANCE AGENCIES COMBINE

DeWitt, Tremper, Osterhout, Inc., Is the New Firm, a Merger of Three Big Agencies—Offices to Be in the Preston Building.

An event that took place today in Kingston of importance to the insurance field throughout this section of the state when the agencies of William C. DeWitt, Jacob H. Tremper and the real estate agency of Rodney B. Osterhout were consolidated on January 1st, 1918, under the name of DeWitt, Tremper, Osterhout, Inc.

The three gentlemen visited the needs of the fire and liability insurance companies, which they have represented for years, at the home office in New York and likewise called upon the special agents of the companies of The Ten Eyck at Albany and laid before them the details of the consolidation. The companies immediately issued commissions of authority to the incorporated agency.

The offices of DeWitt, Tremper, Osterhout, Inc. will be in the Preston building, 238 Fair street, in the large and commodious offices formerly occupied by Mr. Tremper, where Messrs. DeWitt, Tremper and Osterhout will welcome their friends and patrons.

The corporation will start business with a paid-in capital of \$40,000. Messrs. DeWitt, Tremper and Osterhout being sole officers, directors and stockholders.

Races Were Postponed.

The horse races on the Rondout creek, which were to have been held Saturday afternoon, have been postponed until this Saturday afternoon. There was too much water and slush on the ice to hold the race that Saturday.

At Benedictine Sanitarium.

Rosendo Gomez was conveyed from the U. & D. station to the Benedictine Sanitarium Sunday afternoon in the city ambulance.

NON-ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES TO BE CURTAILED

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, Jan. 14.—All industries not essential to the prosecution of the war are to be temporarily curtailed. Fuel Administrator Garfield today is at work drawing up one of the most drastic orders that has yet gone into effect. His official statement will be issued tomorrow morning, it is said.

Dr. Garfield's plan is not to shut down completely all non-essential industries, but to limit them to probably three days a week as a temporary measure to relieve the coal shortage. The action was decided on this morning after he had received scores of reports from the Middle West and New England, telling of the acute conditions there. He will delay issuing the orders until he has received the report of P. B. Noyes, head of the conservation office of the fuel administration, who is in Boston today, making a survey of conditions there. He completed his work in New York yesterday and his report, it is expected, will be received tonight.

Reports received by the fuel administrator indicate that the shortage is more acute than it has been at any time heretofore.

SERVICE FLAG FOR COTTEKILL COUNCIL

Cottekill, Jan. 14.—On Saturday evening, January 19, Cottekill Council, No. 168, Jr. Order of United American Mechanics, will install officers for the year. The installation will be public to the extent that each member of the local council may bring one friend, either lady or gentleman, as a guest at the installation.

After the installation ceremonies a service flag will be dedicated in honor of the five members of the local council who are now in the service of their country. A short patriotic program has been arranged, consisting of songs and solos. State Deputy E. N. Snow and staff of Kingston will be in attendance to install the officers, after which State Deputy Snow will dedicate the service flag in honor of the members who are in the U. S. service. The members of the local council in whose honor the service flag will be dedicated are: Simon D. B. Snyder, John C. Conner, John R. Crispell, Jr., Lewis Crispell and Thomas Osterhout. At the close of the exercises refreshments will be served to all, and a general social time will be enjoyed after.

Cottekill Council is in a very flourishing condition, having one hundred members, a fine council room neatly furnished, and a fine lot of officers' robes, regalia and degree property, and last but not least a very substantial bank account. Men between the ages of 18 and 50 years, American citizens, born in the United States or under the protection of its flag, are eligible for membership. The principles of the organization are all that anyone can desire, and the fraternal and beneficial part of the organization are of the best to be found. Non-members are requested to ask for further information, if interested, which will be freely given by any member of the order. The officers elect are: Councilor, L. R. Conner; vice councilor, R. R. Walker; recording secretary, W. H. Rhinehart; assistant recording secretary, J. A. Keator; financial secretary, J. M. Short; treasurer, G. W. Beck; chaplain, U. Barringer; trustees, U. Barringer, Jr., P. C. Louis Bilyou; warden, James Snyder; conductor, David Woolsey; inside sentinel, B. Sherman; outside sentinel, Justus Lyons.

Alarm Rang; No Fire.

Sunday night about 11:45 o'clock while the watchman at Lawton's foundry on Prince street was drying out some sand, some one seeing the steam thought the foundry was on fire, and turned in an alarm from Box 57.

Mrs. Joy Bitten by Dog.

Mrs. William Joy of lower Broadway paid a visit to the city hall this morning. She lodged a complaint with Judge Schirck that she had been bitten in the arm by a dog owned by William Roach.

WAR AT A GLANCE

The Russo-German peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk are again threatened with a complete rupture as a result of the attempt by the German envoys to enforce militaristic terms upon Russia. At the same time it was reported from Petrograd today that the negotiations may be renewed at Warsaw.

The question of frankly announcing a policy of annexations was discussed at an important council convened in Berlin on Sunday by the Kaiser. The debate took two directions:

1.—The military leaders demanding the annexation of Poland and Lithuania by Germany.

2.—The moderates suggesting a counter program of establishing Poland into an independent kingdom by giving it a slice of Austrian soil and also giving a portion of eastern Austria to Ukraine.

Activities on the battle fronts are still limited to local operations.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Mrs. Henry M. Crane is ill at her home on Abruzz street.

Peter Boice is confined to his home, No. 19 Abruzz street by illness.

Mrs. Seymour Sager is confined to her home, 92 East Chester street, by illness.

C. C. Schepmores and wife of New York city, former residents of Kingston, are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. E. Otis Van Aken, president of the State Robekah Assembly, will make an official visit to the Robekah lodges of Rochester, N. Y., Tuesday evening. Mrs. Van Aken left town this morning.

Mrs. H. D. Barrett, who has been visiting a few weeks at the home of her father, John F. Conlin, has returned to New York city, where she will join her husband, Sergeant Barrett, who has been stationed at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C.

Shandaken Divorce Suit Tried.

A hearing was had before Judge Hasbrouck at supreme court chambers this morning in the action for divorce brought by Elsie Wood Brownell against Horace Brownell, Jr. The parties were married at Shandaken on October 14, 1908, and resided at Pine Hill. They separated in January of last year. The acts complained of occurred in this city. Decision was reserved. County Attorney John W. Eckert appeared for the plaintiff; there was no appearance on the part of the defendant.

More Snow Predicted.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Chicago, Jan. 14.—Snow is predicted in the upper Mississippi Valley states tonight and in some Tuesday, and colder weather is forecast for all middle western states by the local government weather bureau. Snow is predicted for Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and Missouri and probably snow in North Dakota and Nebraska. Snow is also predicted in the Rocky Mountain district.

Jury Trial Tonight.

A jury trial will be held this evening in city court in the case of Thomas Rose charged with assaulting Anton Koditek. This is the first jury trial of the year, and the case is attracting considerable attention.

Food Sale Friday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Fair Street Reformed Church will hold a food sale at the L. B. Van Wageningen store on Wall street at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, January 18.

SPY CAUGHT SETTING FIRE TO MAGAZINE

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Norfolk, Va., Jan. 14.—Walter Sportman, a German lieutenant, who came to this country on the German U-53 was arrested here this afternoon as he was trying to set a match to the magazine at the aviation station here. He wore the uniform of an American army captain when arrested.

Letters from former German ambassador von Bernstorff and Captain Boyed were found in his possession. A receipt showing that he had received \$90,000 for distribution among eight confederates, including a wealthy citizen of Baltimore, was also found.

Oil Steamer Sinking.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
An Atlantic Port, Jan. 14.—An incoming steamer brought news here today that the Hawaiian Line oil steamer Texan was sending out wireless reports that it had been struck amidships and was sinking. The Texan flashed that it had 43 men aboard and was putting out its starboard boats. The message also stated that oil was being poured out. The oil was evidently to reduce the high seas.

Conference for Nurses.

Miss Ryan, superintendent of the Kingston City Hospital, has received from the local committee of the Red Cross Nursing Service at Albany the announcement of a meeting to be held at Champlin Hall, Albany, Friday, January 18. Among other speakers will be Senator Sage and Miss Dorothy Arnold. This meeting will be of great interest to nurses and all graduate nurses are urged to attend.

Union Auxiliary Meeting.

Tuesday afternoon the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church will hold their regular meeting in St. John's parish house. They have invited the women of the Auxiliaries of Holy Cross and Holy Spirit Church to unite with them in this meeting and every member is urged to be present at this meeting, which will be addressed by the Rev. J. I. Blair Larned, rector of the church.

Given Another Chance.

Paul Broadhead of Lomontville was picked up drunk on Hurley avenue early Saturday evening by Officer Hess. This morning Paul was arraigned before Judge Schirck, who discharged him with a reprimand. Paul informed the court he was the father of eight children.

Seed Prices Advance.

Seed catalogues that have just arrived show that the prices of practically all kind of seeds are from three to four times higher than they were last season.

No Tuesday Evening Service.

In order to help conserve the coal supply the Tuesday evening devotions at St. Mary's Church will be discontinued for the rest of the winter.

Transport Being Overhauled.

The ferry transport, which is laid up for the season, is being thoroughly overhauled and will be repainted.

Thawing Out Catch Basins.

The street force were busy today with the steamer thawing out catch basins about the city.

CHICAGO EMERGING FROM THE BLIZZARD

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Chicago, Jan. 14.—The middle west poked its head up out of the snowdrifts today and began operations on a basis more nearly normal than at any time since Friday. Unless further storms arrive it is expected that the snow bound central section of the United States will be released today.

Trains that were due last Friday are beginning to arrive this morning and trains are being dispatched for the first time in forty-eight hours. Traffic conditions, although still far from normal, are no longer paralyzed and it is expected will be restored to normal by tomorrow.

The danger of food and fuel famine is for the most part passed, although a fuel shortage still exists in several places.

Release of Chicago from its snowdrifts was accomplished by the heroic labors of more than 100,000 snow shovelers.

The army of snow shovelers is still at work today for only the more important arteries have been cleared and there is still much snow to be removed. The forces were augmented today by sixty thousand school boys working in organized units. Chicago schools will remain closed all this week and the boys will shovel snow.

The most serious problem faced by Chicago today as a result of the storm is a shortage of gas. Unprecedented use by householders has cut down the reserve supply until a famine is feared. Steps are being taken to replenish the almost exhausted supply.

Six persons lost their lives in Chicago since Saturday as the result of cold or injuries caused by the storm. These with others reported previously, brought the toll of the storm in Chicago to more than a dozen.

FIRE DAMAGES U. S. ARMY STORES

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Fire in army stores in the quartermaster's building at the old arsenal at Washington Barracks today did much damage and for a time threatened adjoining structures. Three alarms brought a good part of the Washington fire department to the scene and they were assisted by the garrison at the barracks and Marines from the Marine Barracks nearby. At ten o'clock the fire was still burning hot and was believed to be under control. At that hour the origin had not been fixed.

The building in which the fire started occupies an entire block and stored in it was supplies of every sort, ammunition and the like, whose value runs into the millions. The loss admittedly will be very heavy.

Reports that the fire was of incendiary origin were widely circulated, but officials said that it would be impossible to determine this until an investigation has been made.

Stelle Loss Adjusted.

E. T. Stelle has written the Pardee Insurance Agency thanking them for the prompt adjustment and payment of the loss and damage sustained the night of January 7, when the shoe store was flooded by a broken water pipe in the rooms above the store.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Corn closed 1/2c lower today and oats were 3/4c to 1c lower.

Closing Prices.

Corn—Jan., 12 1/2c; May, 12 5/8c. Oats—Jan., 7 3/4c; March, 7 5/8c; May, 7 1/2c to 7 3/4c.

Chicago Seed Market.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Clover, cash, 21.00 @ 27.00; Timothy, cash, 5.00 @ 7.50.

Buy Now and Save

First in Fashion—First in Service—First in Value-Giving

Buy Now and Save

800 Hanks of
First Class Heavy Lustrous
Khaki Yarn, 95c For Full
4 ounce Hanks
Regularly 1.00 to 1.25 a Hank

VAN WAGENEN'S

Thrift, The Keynote--

"Thrift is such a simple thing and means so much. It is the foundation of success in business, of contentment in the home and standing in society."

Introducing Mrs. Thrifty—

A Character Portraying the Timeliness of This Event
—and the Extraordinary Savings Offered.

a genuine old fashioned stock reduction sale

Unusual Savings—Exceptional Values—Extraordinary
Prices Characterize This War-Time Economy Event—



Who is She? She is a Real Person—the Dominating Influence Back of This Tremendous Annual Stock Reducing Event, Who Will Give You First Hand Information of the Unusual Values Abounding

Throughout our land the government is urging everyone to be as thrifty as they possibly can. We have decided, therefore, in arranging this event, to do our part in helping the community to practice thriftiness in its truest sense.

This "genuine old-fashioned stock reduction sale" is DIFFERENT than any we have ever held before, for NEVER have savings been looked forward to with greater eagerness.

Prices have been made SO LOW that not the slightest bit of waste can be allowed. There will be no phone orders, no exchanges, and no holding of sale goods for later delivery. It will be truly old-fashioned, and you'll find it a novel economy to shop in this way. We're sure you will like it.

Our merchandising policy is the sole reason for such widespread reductions. It demanded a general housecleaning before Spring set in—so that the Store may then be fully equipped to meet your every need. Otherwise a stock-reduction sale at this time would seem foolhardy.

We want to emphasize again and again—and we cannot do this too strongly—that every dollar spent now means a substantial saving for the future.

Another good reason for buying now is that there is apt to be a great scarcity of certain goods. Higher prices later, which are certain to prevail, can be avoided by laying in an ample supply NOW.

It will pay you over and over again to buy liberally. Buy Now and Save.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"One can't buy Toilet Goods at these low prices

—without the savings counting up to a nice little sum."

We are obliged to place a limit on some kinds, but in most cases you can buy all you need.

12c bottle of Peroxide.....9c
12c Mennen's Talcum.....9c
15c Stange's Peroxide Soap.....5c
25c Squibbs Talcum.....15c
25c Burrell's Tooth Powder.....15c
25c Kelynos Tooth Powder.....19c
12c Shoe Trees.....8c
6 rolls regular 6c Toilet Paper.....25c
15c box 20-Mule Borax.....10c
15c bottle Ammonia.....10c
25c tube Glycerine.....19c
15c Armour's Bath Tablets.....10c
25c bottle of Peroxide.....17c
25c Silver Cream Polish.....19c
19c Babcock's Corylopsis, Cut Rose
or Violet Talcum.....15c
50c Palm Olive Face Powder.....25c
25c Frivole Talcum.....19c
12c Palm Olive Soap.....7c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"You might as well save a bit on staple medicines like these"

75c bottle of Scott's Emulsion.....59c
\$1.50 bottle of Scott's Emulsion.....\$1.19
55c Mellen's Food.....69c
55c Mellen's Food.....45c
\$1.25 Maltine with Cod Liver Oil.....\$1.15
\$1.50 Russell's Emulsion.....\$1.00
50c Sloan's Liniment.....45c
\$1.00 Wampoles Cod Liver Oil.....89c
\$1.00 Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.....89c
\$1.25 Gude's Pepto-Mangan.....\$1.00
\$1.20 Horlick Malted Milk.....89c
60 Horlick Malted Milk.....48c
\$1.25 Hemabonds.....\$1.15
\$1.00 Nujol (American Oil).....75c
\$1.00 Oroferin.....89c
\$1.00 Paine's Cherry Compound.....89c
\$1.00 Perma Tonic.....89c
50 Johann Hoff's Extract.....35c
\$1.00 Nuxated Iron.....89c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"Rubber Goods Are Cheap at These Sale Prices"

1.25 Rubber Hot Water Bottle, 2 qt.
size, guaranteed.....95c
1.25 Fountain Syringe, 2 qt.....95c
75c Ice Bags.....49c
75c Face Bags.....49c
50c Rubber Gloves.....39c

Store Editorial

Patriotism and Thrift go hand in hand these days. To practice reasonable economy and thrift during this war-time period shows a true spirit of Americanism and common sense.

Eliminate waste and you are spending every dollar wisely. So the first thing to do is to see that you get the truest VALUE for every penny that goes out of the household treasury.

The Van Wageningen policy of "Always 100 per cent value—and a little more if possible"; courteous salespeople eager to help you in your purchases; and the best merchandise that can be obtained—all will help cement old friendships and gain new, satisfied customers, especially during these Thrift days.

You'll enjoy looking through the store with me. And as my opinion of the VALUES, I must confess they are extraordinary. I haven't run across lower prices even in the biggest cities. So be sure to come—I'll be waiting for you.

(Signed.)
Mrs. Thrifty

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"You will come back for more after you have bought these Stockings at 39c."

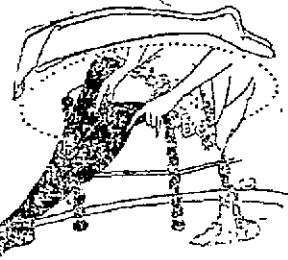
Yes—and you will come back but the entire lot will probably be sold in a few days. ONLY BLACK AND WHITE. Hundreds of pairs of cotton and Lisle Onyx hosiery, all grouped at this one price.

JANUARY
SALE AT.....39c

\$1.50 TO \$2.00 ONYX SILK STOCKINGS AT \$1.19
Pure Thread Silk and pure dye; an excellent wearing stocking with cotton garter tops and soles; in all the most wanted shades; many novelty effects; also black and white.

JANUARY
SALE AT.....1.19

\$2.00 EXTRA FINE SILK STOCKINGS \$1.69
Pure Thread Silk, of extra fine quality and beautiful lustre; strongly reinforced silk tops and soles in ten smartest shades.



JANUARY
SALE AT.....1.69

\$1.00 WHITE SILK STOCKINGS 85c
Pure Silk, excellent wearing quality with cotton tops and soles; in white only.

JANUARY
SALE AT.....85c

Mrs. Thrifty says—

"No one should object to three for the price of two."

3 large 12 cent rolls of "Tommy Tucker" Toilet Paper for.....25c



Mrs. Thrifty says—

Why make your own sheets when you can buy them at this Sale for less than the price of the Muslin?

MUSLIN SHEETS

JANUARY
SALE AT.....79c

Just the muslin by the yard now costs over \$1.00. These sheets are 72x90 inches with flat center seam.

SEAMLESS SHEETS

January Sale Prices are far below present values of the muslin by the yard. Of ironclad or Service full bleached muslins, unshorn with wide hems. Sizes given are before hemming.

Reg. Price Sale Price
62x90.....\$1.15 89c
72x90.....1.29 \$1.10
\$1x90.....1.39 1.19

STELLA PILLOWSLIPS

Made from a fine, soft finished cotton, with 2 inch hems. Choice of either size—

Size 42x36 inches.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....15c

Size 45x36 inches.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....15c

"STERLING" PILLOWSLIPS
Splendid quality of muslin, worth by the yard more than you pay for finished case—

Size 42x36 inch.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....25c

Size 45x36 inch.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....25c

FRUIT OF THE LOOM

A Brand Known to Every Housewife.

Better supply your season wants of these during this sale, as this brand is scarce and the prices have advanced materially since we bought these.

Size 42x36 inch.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....29c

Size 45x36 inch.

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....29c

\$1.48 CROCHET

BED SPREADS 1.19

Three-quarter or single bed size; bleached white, hemmed ends; good patterns; 100 of these spreads. Limit 2 to a customer, each.....\$1.19

Mrs. Thrifty says—

I'll be surprised if home dressmakers don't take full advantage of such yard goods values.

39c SILK AND COTTON

CREPE DE CHINE

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....48c

Yard wide; plain colors; our standard grade, in stylish shades most wanted.

23c PERCALES—

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....19c

New designs, good washing colors on white grounds; block polka dots, figures and broken black and fancy colored stripes.

YARD WIDE LONGCLOTH

AT LESS THAN 15c YD.

Longcloth is too well known to need mention its value. 10 yd. pieces.....\$1.48

DRESS GINGHAMS—

JANUARY
SALE.....17c

Our entire line in 1917 styles Bates Seersucker and Ivanhoe Zephyr Gingham in stripes, checks and plaids, 27 and 32 inches wide, today's value 29c.

DUCKLING FLEECE

Our whole line of pink, blue, red and old rose grounds, with fancy color printings of medium and large floral designs, bought to sell at 19c a yard,

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....15c

SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

WOOL CLOAKINGS

JANUARY
SALE.....1.87 to 3.37

Our entire stock of 56-inch, plain, fancy, mixed and plaid wool cloakings. All new, handsome and stylish material, correct in style and weight. Regular \$2.50 to \$4.50.

ALL WOOL TARTAN PLAIDS 1.50

38 inches wide; in rich color combination, including blue and green effects, for which the demand will be great for Spring; every yard is worth today \$1.98.

KIDDE CLOTH

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....23c

22 inches wide; well known for its good wearing and washing qualities; with woven colored tape stripes in pink, blue and red on white grounds, bought to sell at 29c a yard.

—CHAMIE DELAINE

JANUARY
SALE PRICE.....18c

Yard wide; in cashmere; medium and larger flower designs; choice color printings suitable for draperies and bed comfortables, regularly 25c a yard.

20c LONGCLOTH 19c

AT 10c
Pure white, close, substantial weave; excellent for underwear and infant clothes.



January Garment Clearance—A Style Event—With Low Prices

WAR-TIME
ECONOMY
SALES—All Garments
and Furs,
—Underwear,
—Housewares,
—Rugs, Curtains.Let Mrs. Thrifty Show You The Way to SAVE
by Economical Purchasing Now at the War-Time Thrift Store

The foresighted, economical and patriotic American housewife will be quick to grasp these opportunities

Mrs. Thrifty Ushers in An Amazing
Sale of New SilksAt Prices to Arrest the Attention of Every
Woman Who Knows Real ValuesTHIS is not a January Clearance of Silks we want to get rid of. It is a NEW
January Sale of the silks you will be glad to buy later at full prices.—The sale is made up wholly of silks bought for our regular stocks. They were
at regular prices before this announcement appeared today; they go back to regular
prices immediately at the close of this sale...Based on present retail conditions every yard of silk, even at our regular fair
prices, is better than market value; these sale prices make these good values that
much better. The sale includes:1.50 Satin Messaline
\$1.19A LUSTROUS All-Silk
Messaline that will be in
as high favor this spring
as it is now. Good weight,
closely woven, soft and
supple, with the feel that
means long service. Com-
plete line of street and
evening shades; 35 inches.1.59 Crepe de Chine
\$1.28PURE silk to the last
thread—a firmly woven
crepe with grace and
beauty in every yard. All
desirable street and even-
ing shades; 40 inches wide.

Sale of Stylish Fancy Silks

1.59 For 1.98 to 2.50 Plaid, Striped
—Taffetas and MessalineWhether you want a skirt,
waist or dress length—choose
what you will, then look at the
saving. About three yards for
the usual price of two.2.25 Crepe Meteor
\$1.59ALL Silk Meteor. Soft
as Crepe, rich as Satin,
serviceable as Peau de
Soie. The handsomest and
one of the most desired
silks of the season. Latest
street and evening shades.
40 inches wide.1.50 Chiffon Taffeta
\$1.28EVERY woman who
knows our standard Chif-
fon Taffeta will be glad to
buy it in this sale at \$1.28.
Pure dye and pure silk—a
fabric that commends it-
self. In all the desired
street shades, 36 inches.

Standard Black Silks at Sale Prices:

BLACK silks are as sugar to the grocer—ever staple
and seldom cut in price. Dressmakers especially will
do well to note these lowered prices:

- 1.25 Black Messalines, 36 inches, sale price.....98c
1.75 Black Messalines, 36 inches, sale price\$1.45
2.50 Satin Superior, 36 inches, sale price\$1.95
2.00 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches, sale price.....\$1.69
2.50 Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches, sale price\$1.80
1.59 Crepe de Chine, 40 inches, sale price.....\$1.28
2.00 Crepe de Chine, 40 inches, sale price.....\$1.69
2.25 Crepe Meteor, 40 inches, sale price.....\$1.59

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“You can save on the children's needs as well as
your own, by buying now.”GIRLS' \$1.00 UNION SUITS,
SPECIAL 89c
Misses' and children's heavy
weight, white Jersey rib cotton
Union Suits, with long sleeves;
ankle length, drop seats.GIRLS' \$1.75 UNION
SUITS, \$1.25
Carter's medium weight, part
wool Union Suits, with collar-
ette necks, long sleeves; ankle
length.

BOYS' FLEECE UNION SUITS—SPECIAL \$1.00.

Boys' Medium Weight Gray Rib Cotton Fleece Union Suits, col-
larette neck, long sleeves; ankle length, closed crotch.“Buy
Now
And
Save”

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“Folks Should Have Plenty to Read
These Winter Evenings”—and everyone can certainly afford to
take home at least three or four of these
Good Books, at this ridiculously low
price.Almost unbelievable. 29c
These books atAll good titles—recent \$1.25 and \$1.50
copyrights—elsewhere 60c.
50 cent Book Racks19cA MOST UNUSUAL SALE OF
WHITE IVORY
TOILET ARTICLES 49cConsisting of Puff Boxes, Hair Re-
ceivers, Combs, Trays, Buffers,
Shoe Horns, Perfume Bottles,
Jewel Boxes, Pin Cushions.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“If You Want
Something Good—
Go to VanWagenen's

Mrs Thrifty says—

If you know the condition of the Glove market you will buy an
extra pair or two, now while you can save in doing so.EVERYBODY KNOWS THAT
\$2.25 MOCHA GLOVES ARE A
BIG BARGAIN

At 1.69

EXTRA SPECIAL—\$2.25 Fine
Mocha Gloves, spear back or
Paris Point, soft, pliable skins,
all sizes, in gray with self or
black embroidery \$1.69

BUY THESE AT \$1.80

\$2.50 Washable Cape Gloves,
one-clasp, extra quality Cape
Gloves, with Paris Point em-
broidered backs, P. K. sewn.
Pawn, black, tan and gray....

At 1.89

At 1.75

\$2.00 Imported French Lamb-
skin Gloves, white glace—our
“Edith” one-clasp, soft, pliable
quality, beautifully sewn, fancy
embroidered backs.
These gloves are perfect fitting
and will be appropriate for either
street or dress wear. All sizes
in white, with two-tone black
embroidery.

At 59c

\$9c Doe Fabric Gloves, white
chamois suede wash gloves, two
clasp, black or white embroi-
dery.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“Cotton Goods at Less”

BEST APRON GINGHAMS

JANUARY

SALE PRICE .17c

In broken plaids and all size
checks, value today 22c a yard.

35c COLORED

SHIRTINGS AT

Fine Madras with woven-in-
color threads. Positively fast
colors. Various stripes for men's
shirts and women's dresses.SHIRTING PRINTS
Best Merimack and American
figures, stripes and vine patterns
on white grounds, regular 12½c
a yard.

JANUARY

SALE PRICE .10c

BEST DRESS PRINTS
In grey, black, navy and blue
grounds, with figures and
stripes, regularly 15c a yard.

JANUARY

SALE PRICE .12½c



Mrs. Thrifty says—

Don't make your own Sheets when you can buy
these for less than the muslin itself is worth.

January Sale—81x90 Seamless Sheets -1.19

These bleached sheets are sold already in many stores for \$1.50.
January Sale Price here is only \$1.19. One of the best bargains in
months. Heed this supreme savings opportunity.Muslin by the yard necessary to make this
sheet costs today \$1.48 for material alone

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“Do not be without a Muff these
very cold days—when Muffs are
so easy to make.”

MUFF BEDS

Down and floss filled muff beds
lined with sateen and made up
in the preferred round and pil-
low shapes. Very easy to cover
—you can shir your fabric or
put it on smoothly, finishing the
sides with trills.Floss-filled, sateen lined muff
beds, with cord70c
Floss-filled muff beds, lined
with satin, with ruffles..\$1.19

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“Think seriously about your Blanket Supply—
both Cotton and Wool.”

We Can Get No More to Sell at These Prices.

Blankets and comfort prices have advanced terrifically within the
past four months—on some grades as high as 60 per cent—on few
grades less than 30 per cent. Items listed here are based on our early
1917 purchases; no more present prices when these are gone.At each price is a quality that cannot be purchased today at whole-
sale for anything like these January Sale Prices. It is hardly necessary
to go into detail about “our blanket values”—they are known far and
wide—Once a customer for Blankets always a customer—that is a well
known slogan here.Wool Nap Plaid
Blankets at - 3.98To-day's wholesale price
of this identical Blanket
is \$4.25.Choice of pink, blue or gray
plaids. You'll pay 5.00 later.\$5.00 WHITE WOOL
NAP BLANKETSJANUARY SALE
PRICED AT3.98Neat colored borders, on white
grounds; extra large and heavy.

COTTON FLEECE BLANKETS

JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT1.50The size for three-quarter beds
—white, tan or grey; wholesale
price today is \$2.12 in case lots.

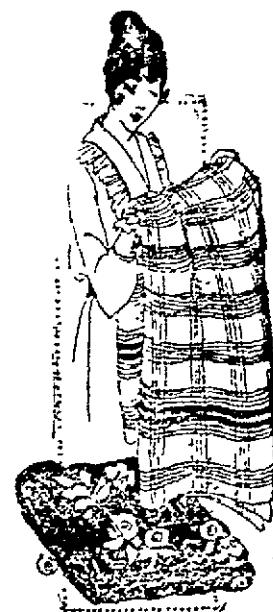
NEAR WOOL BLANKETS

JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT5.98Extra heavy wool finish; large
size; comes in assortment of
plaids. These are worth today
\$7.00 to \$7.50 the pair.HIGH GRADE WOOL
BLANKETS, SILK BOUNDJANUARY SALE
PRICED AT10. to 25.—and in every case the saving
is from one-third to one-half.
No more low sale prices when
these are gone.

WOOL FINISH BLANKETS

JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT2.98Double bed size, white or grey;
actual value today is \$3.75 to
\$4.00.

ALL WOOL BLANKETS

JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT7.98Some are all wool; some have
just enough cotton to help them
wear well. White with pink or
blue borders; also plaids. Real
worth today \$10.50 to \$11.50
the pair.

Mrs. Thrifty says—

“Save on Comfortables—But Buy Them. There
are more zero nights to come.”

\$2.00 COMFORTABLES \$1.98

Today's lowest wholesale price
on these is \$2.15 each. Silko-
line coverings, Persian and
floral designs, cotton filling; full
size.JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT1.98

\$5.00 BLANKET

COMFORTS \$3.98
Eiderdown finish, in Jacquard,
Indian and plaid effects, worth
today \$6.00.JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT3.98\$15.00 FINEST SATEEN
DOWN FILLED COMFORT-
ABLES.

JANUARY SALE 10.00

\$5.00 COMFORTABLES \$3.98

Full bed size, silkline covered,
well filled with a good grade of
cotton; floral designs, in popu-
lar colorings, some with plain
contrasting borders.JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT3.98\$10.00 COMFORTABLES \$7.45
Large, full size; well filled with
sanitary cotton; dotted silk mull
covered; dainty floral designs;
finished with a wide mull bor-
der to match.JANUARY SALE
PRICED AT7.45\$17.50 SATIN DOWN-
FILLED COMFORTABLESJANUARY
SALE PRICE12.50

VANWAGENEN'S

The War-Time Thrift Store

Kingston Daily Freeman

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KINGSTON, N. Y., JAN. 14, 1918.

REGARDING EXERCISE.

Spasmodically in the past decade a wave of "back to nature" thought has taken active hold of the minds of men who live in cities, which results in an intermittent exodus from the city to the country and then back again as the pilgrims for some reason or other find that they prefer the old life. The basic thought of the pilgrim who seeks to get back to nature is that in the country he will be enabled to work in the open air, distend his lungs with large quantities of unadulterated ozone and perhaps coax back health which has been shattered through too close confinement or excesses of various kinds which sap human health and strength. Exercise is what he needs, the man tells himself, and open air exercise is what he will have no matter if he is compelled to live in a tent. Such attacks generally come in their handiest form in the spring, although they are likely to recur during the finest days of autumn. During the overheated term of summer when streets are stifling and again as he sits close to his radiator, his hot-air register or his stove during the cold winter evenings, the back-to-naturist comforts himself with the thought that next summer, or perhaps the summer following, he will be in a position where he can work outdoors, developing health and strength along with muscle.

There are many such men in Kingston. They do not stop to think at this time of the year that there is useful, healthy, invigorating and much-needed exercise that is awaiting them. They may get exercise in attending to their furnaces or hauling out ashes, but that is indoor exercise of the kind they would supplement with exercise of the outdoor sort. Very well, if outdoor exercise is what they need, it would be a useful and greatly appreciated plan if they would clean their sidewalks. Most of the sidewalks of this city are a disgrace to a civilized community. In some places they are still covered with pointed reminders of last month's snow storm, now nearly a month old. Other walks are covered with ice up to two inches in thickness. Coarse salt sprinkled over ice-covered sidewalks will not clean the ice from the walk. Instead it only makes walking messy and adds to the slipperiness. The excuse in many cases is that the son of the household is in the army or navy and nobody can be hired to do the work. Such an attitude, that no man should labor except a laborer, is destructive of self-respect and happiness. There are many visitors to Kingston every day of the year and they enjoy walking around the city in their spare time both for the healthy exercise it affords and for the sake of seeing Kingston, possibly with a view to locating here permanently. How far they can walk with sidewalks in their present condition and what kind of advertising they will give the city are matters needing no comment. As for the man sitting indoors complaining of lack of exercise, there is no sympathy to be wasted either by himself or by his family or neighbors. If he wants exercise, he can get it without going away from his own property, and the city will be benefited thereby.

THOSE COAL CARDS.

In finding itself compelled to use coal cards, Ulster county is having a new experience in government regulation, but a regulation whose wisdom cannot be questioned. Before the end of the war it may be necessary to issue cards in order to obtain other necessities; sugar cards have been in use in many communities for several months and cards for other foodstuffs have been mentioned from time to time as having been introduced in different parts of the country. Because of our proximity to the coal fields, we have been to date in past years. The Delaware & Hudson Company, which not only owns coal fields of vast extent but also operates one of the principal coal-carrying railroads of the East, has been able to deliver coal in this vicinity by reason of the connecting link furnished by the Ulster & Delaware railroad, and other companies served by the Delaware & Hudson Railroad have been

accorded equal opportunity. The New York, Ontario & Western railroad has developed into a coal-carrier and has its tide-water outlet at Cornwall, while the Erie has been able to make connections for Kingston with ease. Changes in the operation of the railroads under government control will result in curtailment of some service, but the Director General of Railways in directing changes must be credited with the desire to afford the most efficient service both for freight and passenger traffic which the conditions of the country as a whole demand, modified more or less by the actual shortage of mined coal and the congestion of traffic which has been increasing for a number of months. Whatever criticism there may be for the lack of foresight and incompetence which have helped to bring about existing conditions there can be no dispute of an actual coal shortage in every community, so that Ulster county may as well adapt itself to coal cards because there will be no other way in which to obtain coal except by using such cards. The practice of calling to Governmental aid the services of a man whose ability has made the success of large corporations possible is the part of wisdom, and it may be asserted that the foresight they have exercised which enabled the corporations with which they were connected to prosper will be patriotically devoted to the public interest. The result should be more systematic preparation to meet contingencies that will arise throughout the war and afterward, but in the meantime the Federal control of necessities and the adoption of methods, of which coal cards is one detail, to prevent hoarding and insure equality of distribution according to the needs of individuals and industries, will continue. Ulster county has heard much talk regarding conservation; it is beginning to realize its meaning and necessity.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Jan. 14.—Miss Marie Pidgeon of New York spent the week end with Miss Isabel Overbush on Main street.
 Michael Donlon, who has been the guest of his parents on Washington avenue for some time, has returned to Niagara College, Niagara.
 Miss Anna Dietrich of Main street is visiting her sister in Newark.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckert of Kingston are visiting their son, Leslie, on Livingston street.
 Hoyt Overbush of Main street has returned from a visit in New York city.
 Rev. C. B. Gruver, D. D., of Albany preached in the Lutheran Church at both services on Sunday. Miss Pauline Snyder is ill at her home on Barclay Heights.
 Miss Lucy Connelly of Albany spent Sunday with her father on Market street.
 Mrs. Jane Minken of Madalin spent Thursday in town.
 Rev. and Mrs. Macbeth of Madalin were visitors in town on Friday.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

Jan. 13, 1898.—Will of John E. Lasher of Saugerties disposed of \$400,000.
 Amos Hynes sold his clothing store to Morris M. Baker.
 Jan. 13, 1898.—Darwin Kinckley sentenced to Dannemora, allowed to remain in jail so as to bid his family goodbye. His family had the smallpox.
 Miss Martha Thompson and John T. Murphy married in Brooklyn.
 Jan. 14, 1898.—Assemblyman Ackert introduced a bill appropriating \$70,000 for New Paltz Normal School.
 William Van Nostrand had his hand crushed at Palen's tin foil factory.
 Jan. 14, 1898.—Death of Mrs. John E. Van Etten.
 Joel Brink elected chairman of board of supervisors. C. K. Loughran, clerk; A. E. Rose, counsel, and Dr. Frank Keator jail physician.

STONE RIDGE.

Stone Ridge, Jan. 14.—The cast of characters for "The Piper's Pan," which will be given in the Grange Hall Wednesday evening, January 23, is as follows: Mrs. John Burton, (Peggy); Pauline Palen; Mrs. Chas. Meyer; (Mabel); Olive Tetterton; Mrs. Herford-Carr; Edith Lockwood; Miss Freda Dixon; Dorothy Palen; Mary Clark, a detective; Mabel Dudley; Evelyn Evans a reporter; Nellie Eckert; Katie, a maid; Pearl Siskler. This play has an unique and interesting plot. The girls are preparing to give a good production of the play, and we think it will be well worth your time and money to attend. There will be music before and after the play, under the direction of Miss Ida MacGibson. Chin chowder, ice cream, cake and coffee will be served after the entertainment.

Entertainment at South Rondout.

On Friday at 7:45 p. m., at the South Rondout M. E. Church the C. E. Society of the church will give an entertainment. At this time the members of the society will relate their experience in earning a dollar the society voted at the November business meeting each member should endeavor to earn. There will be other entertaining features. A small admission will be charged and ice cream will be sold after the entertainment.

For Meditation.

All great reforms are based on broad, generous principles.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Wonder why Henpeck dislikes winter so much?" "I know. In the winter he has to mind both his wife and the furnace."—Buffalo Express.
 "For years I understand Fickit has been pursuing an upright course of life." "Perhaps he has, but he has never overtaken it."—Baltimore American.

Old Roxley—"A fit husband for my daughter! Why, in the first place, she is a head taller than you." Suitor—"Well, sir, I don't expect to be so short after we are married."—Boston Transcript.

"You make more fuss about losing a nickel than I'd make about losing a hundred dollars." "Boss," said the boy, "you've got the wrong idea. The chances are you've got another hundred. But this was my last nickel. 'Taint what you lose that makes the difference. It's what you've got left."—Washington Star.

Mrs. Flatbush—"Oh, dear!" Mr. Flatbush—"What's wrong now?" "Oh, I read today that if the earth were to revolve seventeen times faster than it does, bodies at the equator would lose their weight and remain stationary in the air without support." "Don't worry, dear. If we ever get there I'll support you just the same."—Yonkers Statesman.

Going Into Business.

"To the married man who can not get along without his drink, the following is the solution," writes Elmer F. Hoover to the Medical World:
 1. Start a saloon in your own home.
 2. You be the only customer. You will have no license to pay.
 3. Give your wife two dollars to buy a gallon of whiskey, and remember there are 96 drinks in a gallon.
 4. Buy your drinks from your wife only, and by time the first gallon is gone she will have \$7.60 to put in the bank and \$2 to start in business again.
 5. Should you live 10 years and continue to buy booze from her, then die with snakes in your boots, she will have money enough to give you a respectable burial, educate your children buy a house and lot, and marry a decent man.

"Mark Time" In War Drill.

It took place at the officers' training camp.
 The replacement bunch was new, but earnest. Its members were well equipped—you could see that with half an eye. And they were conscious of their equipment—you could see that if you were born blind.
 "Forward, march!" shouted the person in command. They stepped off briskly.
 "Halt!" And they halted, almost all at once.
 "Mark time!" And at the response, the person in command fainted away.
 For at the word, every soldier had shot up his sleeve and taken a glance at his new wrist watch!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

QUASSIA FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

Quassia with other valuable ingredients as are contained in Heneph's Stomach Tablets tones up the Stomach and helps digest your food. Proper digested foods makes pure blood. Good rich pure blood makes life worth living.
 Blue Flag, one of the ingredients in Heneph's Blue Flag Laxative Tablets compounded with other valuable ingredients cleanses your system, aids in preventing appendicitis and tones up the liver. A pleasant cathartic, ingredients contained printed on each package. Buy a package of the tablets, if not entirely satisfied your money will be refunded.
 Sold at all druggists for 25c or Heneph Co., Inc., Kingston, N. Y.

If you present this coupon to any of the below named druggists, they will give you one 25c package free with each 25c package you buy, your choice of the four.

WM. ETINGE, 34 John Street.
 WM. F. DEDRICK, 308 Wall Street.
 CHAS. C. TEN BROECK, 322 Wall Street.
 DU BOIS DRUG STORE, 49 North Front Street.
 MC BRIDE DRUG STORES Inc., 634 Broadway and 219 Wall Street.
 KINGSTON CENTRAL PHARMACY, 572 Broadway.
 MABEN & WALKER, 492 Broadway.
 DONGARTZ PHARMACY, 358 Broadway.
 BENJ. W. JOHNSTON, 26 East Strand.

W. F. DAVIS, Expert Accounting
 Opening Books, Auditing,
 Financial Reports
 45 CROWN ST., KINGSTON, N. Y.

Wampole's Cod Liver Oil 85c

Other Patent Medicines at Proportionately Low Prices

WESLEY'S Broadway,

COR. DOWNS STREET

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Kate M. Rock, late of the town of Loopus, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Andrew M. Taylor, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at his residence in the village of Port Ewen, said county, on or before the 25th day of April, 1918.

Dated, October 20, 1917.
 ANDREW M. TAYLOR, Administrator.
 Henry F. McKenna, Attorney for Administrator, Port Ewen, N. Y.

"SALE" PRICES FOR MANHATTAN SHIRTS

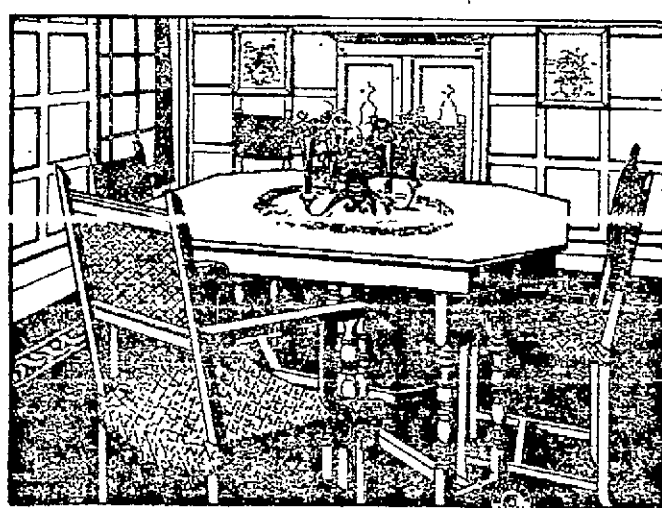
Regular Price	Sale Price
\$1.75	\$1.35
2.00	1.65
2.50	1.85
3.00	2.15
3.50	2.85
4.50	3.15
4.50	3.15
5.00	3.85
6.00	4.85
6.50	4.85
8.00	6.35
10.00	7.65
12.00	7.65
13.50	8.35

Sale from WEDNESDAY JANUARY 9th, 1918, up to and including SATURDAY, JANUARY 26th, 1918.

After January 26th Regular Prices will prevail.

S. COHEN'S SONS

331 WALL ST. KINGSTON, N. Y.
 Phone 900



New pieces the hostess will welcome

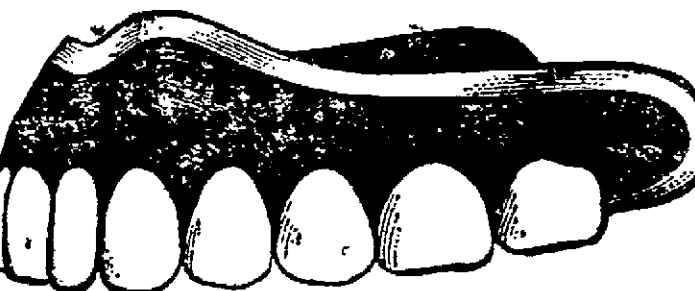
If you want to make your home a more charming place for the season's entertaining, come in and see our new Berkey & Gay dining-room furniture.

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Rondout Sta., 10:25, 11:30 a. m.; 12:15 p. m.

Union Sta., 11:00, 11:30 a. m.; 12:40 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

Union Sta., 11:35 a. m.; 12:15, 12:40 p. m.

Rondout Sta., 11:35 a. m.; 12:35, 12:40 p. m.

Daily except Sunday. * Sunday only.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Elsie F. Gibson, late of the town of Esopus, county of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Paul L. Gibson, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at his late residence of deceased, Sleightsburgh, in the said town of Esopus, Ulster county, N. Y., on or before the 25th day of February, 1918.

Dated August 20th, 1917.

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For the six months ending Dec. 31, 1917, interest will be credited Jan. 1, 1918, at 4 per cent per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest.

Money deposited on or before January 10th and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1918, will be credited with six (6) months' interest.

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Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, post office or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4 per centum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1917.

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month.

Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

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Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month.

Banking hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Mondays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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MILITARY TRAINING LAW WORKED OUT

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, Jan. 14.—A complete plan for regimental organization affecting every boy in the state subject to the Slater-Welsh compulsory military training law was announced today by the State Military Training Commission. The plan is contained in a series of general orders issued by the bureau of Technical Military Training of the commission, of which Colonel William H. Chapin is head. The orders also transmit the authority of the commission for the appointment of cadet commissioned and non-commissioned officers, the first time such designations have been authorized since the establishment of the compulsory training system.

In accordance with the orders, two squads of cadets shall constitute a group consisting of one corporal, one private first class and six privates in each squad. When an enrollment of four squads has been made a platoon may be organized with one second lieutenant and one sergeant. Squads may be added until eight are obtained with two lieutenants and two sergeants. When the enrollment warrants companies will be formed with:

One captain, one first lieutenant, two second lieutenants, one first sergeant, one supply sergeant, one mess sergeant, four sergeants, twelve corporals, two buglers, one artificer, twelve privates first class, seventy-two privates.

The total in each company will therefore be 110, made up of 106 enlisted cadets and four cadet officers. When there are four complete companies, battalions may be organized. In each battalion there will be one cadet battalion sergeant major and one cadet first lieutenant as battalion adjutant. One instructor will then be assigned as acting major. Three fully organized battalions will constitute a regiment, whose non-commissioned staff officers will be selected from the cadets. Instructors will be the regimental officers of the line and staff and chaplain.

The cadets will be given examinations to determine appointment. In these examinations an average of seventy-five per cent must be attained to qualify.

The orders also made provision for numerical designation of the regiments which may be formed. Numbers have been assigned for four possible regiments in each military training zone, of which there are six in the state. These designations are as follows:

New York Zone—Counties of New York, Bronx, Richmond and Westchester; First, Seventh, Thirteenth and Nineteenth Regiments.

Long Island Zone—Counties Kings, Queens, Nassau, Suffolk; 2nd, 5th, 14th and 20th Regiments.

Hudson Valley Zone—Counties Rockland, Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Columbia, Sullivan, Ulster, Greene, Albany, Schoharie, Rensselaer, Warren, Saratoga, Washington, Essex, Franklin, St. Lawrence, Clinton, Montgomery, Hamilton, Fulton, Schoenady; 3rd, 9th, 15th and 21st Regiments.

East Central Zone—Counties Onondaga, Oneida, Oswego, Herkimer, Lewis, Jefferson, Otsego, Delaware, Madison, Chenango, Broome, Tioga, Chemung, Tompkins, Cortland, Schuyler; 4th, 10th, 16th and 22nd Regiments.

West Central Zone—Counties Livingston, Wayne, Yates, Seneca, Ontario, Monroe, Steuben, Cayuga; 5th, 11th, 17th and 23rd Regiments.

Western Zone—Counties Erie, Chautauque, Cattaraugus, Orleans, Niagara, Genesee, Allegany, Wyoming; 6th, 12th, 18th and 24th Regiments.

The regimental designation will be

indicated as follows: For example, First Regiment, Infantry, Corps of Cadets, State of New York. While waiting for the completion of the organization of a regiment, battalions may be designated as follows: First Provisional Battalion, Corps of Cadets, State of New York.

The number of cadets enrolled for training throughout the state at the time of the latest report, January 5, was 25,465. If completely organized, this number of cadets would provide for slightly more than nineteen regiments under the plan outlined. According to the zone enrollment, the maximum number of regiments which could be provided for in each zone is as follows:

New York—8,324 cadets, six regiments.

Long Island—5,562 cadets, four regiments.

Hudson Valley Zone—3,092 cadets, two regiments.

East Central Zone—2,538 cadets, two regiments.

West Central Zone—2,574 cadets, two regiments.

Western Zone—2,769 cadets, two regiments.

HURLEY.

Hurley, Jan. 14.—The town collector of taxes sat in the village town hall on Monday last. The day was exceedingly disagreeable and there was as a result few taxes handed in. He will sit again on January 24 in the same place for the collection, so do not forget the date. This is the last sitting at 1 per cent.

The town board met in the village town hall with all members present. The new member, Mr. Hannay, of West Hurley, who succeeds Mr. Lenox in the board, made his first appearance here at the time. Besides the usual routine matter, the board appointed Thomas Newkirk as fire warden for this district. Charles Snyder was appointed to look after the village town hall in place of Mr. Lockwood, who declined to occupy the position, which he has held for some time. After the adjournment as a board of health, the same members met as a board of health, when Peter Elmsdorf of this village was appointed as lay member of the board of health. By the way, it is a matter of interest that members of the town board, when meeting as a board of health, can ask no fee for such service.

There was no church service nor Sunday school work last Sunday, due to the absence of the minister on one of his days of vacation.

Some of the finest ice ever known has been cut from the creek the past week. Some of it is 16 and 17 inches thick.

It may be of interest to owners of dogs that dog licenses expire February 28.

A large party of merry makers took a sleigh ride from Kingston on Friday, their objective point being Charles DuMont's Hurley. My, they had a time.

Friday, January 18, the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Hurley Reformed Church will serve a supper, beginning at 6 o'clock. The following menu will be served: Escalloped salmon, mararoni and cheese, cabbage salad, plain sandwiches, pickles, fruit gelatin, cookies, coffee. Price for supper, 25 cents. Ice cream will also be on sale.

Sights on the Hudson.

Several motorists took a little run Sunday on the frozen Hudson, and the novelty of the sight of seeing cars spin on the river, has not worn off. A new sight was seen Sunday. A skater was carrying a small sail, and as the brisk wind took hold of this sail the skater, with the aid of the sail and his skates, made some record time. A number of skaters were out, but did not skate very long as the cold wind made conditions anything but pleasant. Many persons walked across the river just for the novelty of it. The sleighs and automobiles carrying passengers across did a fairly good business. On Rondout creek two hockey games were staged by youngsters.

RUSSIAN AID MUST BE REJECTED

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

With the American Army in France, Jan. 14.—The offer of the Russian officers in France to join the United States forces was turned down today. It had been made to General Pershing by a high ranking officer, who said he spoke for his fellow Russian officers as well as for himself. They declare they were willing to put themselves at the disposal of the American command to be used as instructors, interpreters, airmen or in any other branch of service.

The offer had to be rejected on account of a law which prevents foreign citizens from entering the American army.

It was stated that the decision may result in the collapse of the plan for the United States to take over the whole Russian army in France to be used as labor battalions. The Russians were to be paid fixed salaries and the plan gave rise to the hope that the labor problem had been solved.

When the Russian officer who made the offer was told of the unfavorable decision, he said: "I had hoped to be able to fight for the liberty of Russia under the Stars and Stripes. If the only difficulty in the way is my not being a citizen of the United States I will gladly swear allegiance to that country now. I am virtually a man without a country now. I am determined, if permitted to offer my sword and those of my fellow officers for actual fighting. I deeply regret that the Russian soldiers in France are unable to show their appreciation of America's aid to Russia and our disapproval of the efforts of the Bolsheviks to effect a disgraceful separate peace."

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Jan. 14.—Port Ewen Lodge, No. 656, L. O. O. F., will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Pythian Hall.

Mrs. Mary Sleight, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Sleight on Broadway, returned to Newburgh on Saturday.

F. J. Lapine of Albany spent the week end at his home on Green street.

Pythian Hall will be the scene of one of the most popular plays this evening, "Won by Wireless." Too much praise cannot be given the Winners' Class of the Clinton Avenue Methodist Church for the way they have presented this play so successfully in Kingston. It is up to the people of this village to show the Kingston people their appreciation of something good and instructive by their presence this evening. In this play you have all that can be desired, dramatic artists, special scenery, set and orchestra, interesting plot and lots of comedy. Can you afford to miss the opportunity of seeing a production given by a most thoroughly trained under the personal direction of T. H. Richards, formerly of this village, now a resident of Kingston? Admission, 25 cents; children, 15 cents. Reserved seats 5 cents extra, now on sale at the U. and P. tea store on Broadway. This play is under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church. Ice cream and home made cake for sale after the play.

The Brotherhood of the Methodist Church will meet in the chapel Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ronk and family are guests of Mrs. Ronk's mother, Mrs. Emily Post, on Bayard street.

Miss Jeanette Doyle of Kingston spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Doyle, on Riverside avenue.

The following officers of Hope Lodge, No. 65, Knights of Pythias, were installed Friday evening, January 11, in their castle hall on Broadway: H. Chancellor, commander, Laburtus Doyle, vice chancellor, Shultis, master of work, Herman Elsworth, keeper of records and seal, Wallace C. Mahie, master of finance, Albert Munson, master of exchequer, William N. Stephenson, master at arms, Frank Oldenburg, inner guard, Robert Clark, outer guard, Samuel Timmie, trustees, Henry E. McKenzie, Samuel Timmie, Herman Elsworth.

The solo sung by Miss Ella Lapine in the Methodist Church Sunday evening was well rendered.

A business meeting of the Epworth League will be held Tuesday evening at the M. E. parsonage, followed by a short social hour.

Marcus Ostrander of Riverside avenue spent the week end with his son, Harvey Ostrander, in West Park.

Albert Munson and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Munson appreciate the kindness and thoughtfulness of their neighbors and friends during the sickness and death of wife and mother.

U-Boat Reported at Galveston.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 14.—Guards have been stationed at all coast artillery batteries here today and a close watch is being kept on all shipping. Wireless reports state that a submarine has been sighted by two American patrol boats 200 miles south of the Galveston bar. Military authorities declined to discuss the report further than to admit such a report had been received.

Mr. Tremper Community Fair.

All of the ladies of the community are cordially invited to be present at a meeting to be held in Mt. Tremper Church Hall on Wednesday afternoon, January 16, at 2 o'clock, to discuss ways and means for a community fair to be held during the summer. Would like as many to be present as possible as co-operation is needed to make the fair a success.

RED CROSS NEEDS MORE WORKERS

The National Red Cross Society is making tremendous demands on the country for surgical dressings and within the last month the Ulster County Chapter has sent out over six thousand compresses in compliance with an urgent request, and the need for these dressings increases constantly. It is hoped that every woman may be inspired with a desire to do her bit in assisting with this work, which is being conducted at the D. A. R. house, corner of Green and Crown streets. No one need stay away from the work rooms on account of not being provided with the necessary uniform, as these will be supplied by the chapter to any who come unprepared. The working hours will be from 10 until 12 in the mornings and from 2 until 5 in the afternoons.

ROSENDALE.

Rosendale, Jan. 14.—On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wesp entertained the members of the Bible class and a few of their friends. During the evening Mr. Wesp gave a short address in which he made an urgent appeal for new members to join the class and help work for the church. A club was formed by the young people of which Andrew Snyder was made president; Mabel Bell, vice president; Mary Ten Hagen, secretary, and Burton Burr, treasurer. The young people intend to give socials or entertainments to help raise funds for the church. During the evening fine refreshments were served, consisting of sandwiches, chicken salad, cake, ice cream and coffee. The young people surely enjoyed themselves and departed for their homes at midnight voting Mr. and Mrs. Wesp royal entertainers.

Frank Cronk has sold out his bakery to a Mr. Olrich of Titus, who will hereafter conduct the business.

Mildred Christians, who has been spending a few days with friends in Kingston, returned home on Monday.

William Hermance, and wife, and daughter Helen, who spent the holidays with their son and family in New York, have returned home.

Miss Florence Slater spent Wednesday night in Kingston.

The Misses Nellie and Ethel Woolsey of Kingston were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wood.

Harry Zugalla has returned from Troy, where he spent the holidays, and is stopping with his aunt, Miss Caroline Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lefever of Bloomington were callers in this village on Sunday.

The New Paltz students returned to their school work on Monday after the holiday vacation.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the Reformed Sunday school on Sunday morning: Superintendent, Harry Wesp; assistant superintendent, Mr. Young; secretary, Oscar Beach; librarian, Archie Deputy; treasurer, Mrs. Rufus Snyder; pianist, Helen Dockstader; assistant pianist, Mary Ten Hagen.

Miss Helen Dockstader while coasting on the ice sled and injured herself very badly. At this time she was unable to be moved to her home in this village.

Mrs. Mary Snyder of Lawrenceville spent Thursday night with Miss Lillian Schoonmaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Minard of New Paltz were guests of Mrs. Minard's parents, Russell Freer and wife, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ten Hagen spent Thursday at Jacob A. Lay's in Kingston.

Miss Mary Mullany, who spent the holidays at her home in this village, resumed her school work at the Ellenville high school on Monday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Reformed Church met at the home of Mrs. Russell Freer on Thursday afternoon. As it was the first meeting of the year it was the time to elect officers for the coming year. During the afternoon Mrs. Freer served dainty refreshments.

One of the team horses of Joseph McGinn died during the past week.

The plumbers have been busy the past week thawing out frozen water pipes.

Miss Mabel Castor of Bannewater was a guest of Miss Mabel Bell of James street Thursday night.

Miss Almada Lewis was a week end guest of friends in Poughkeepsie.

Nearly all the ice houses in this village have been filled with a fine quality of ice taken from the Rondout creek.

Miss Lillian Stuart, who gave a very interesting talk on the conservation of food one day the past week, was entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Hasbrouck.

Mrs. E. A. Conway is very much improved at this time. Her many friends are glad to see her around again.

Mrs. William Bullis and children have returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Brooklyn.

Miss Mary Ten Hagen spent the week end with friends in Poughkeepsie.

Frank Cronk is moving back to Kingston and will run the Kingston Hotel hereafter.

Mrs. Charles Minturn and Master Raymond and little Harriet have returned home from New York where they spent the holidays.

GARDINER.

Gardiner, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Isabella Bevier of Delhi, who has been visiting friends in town, returned home on Thursday.

Members of the Red Cross are planning to give a dance soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dushinberry are spending a few days in Kingston.

Ford McKinstry spent the week end at Marlborough.

The F. M. D. class met with Mrs. Frank DuBois on Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Sheeley and daughter have been visiting friends in New York the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobias DuBois entertained a few friends at dinner on Tuesday evening.

Patrick Neary, who recently froze his feet, is gaining nicely at the Sanatorium in Kingston.

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18x36 in. Hemstitched Huck Towels.....25c

17 in. Brown Towels..11c

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DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE AND STAFF
DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE CALLS ON PRESIDENT.

The Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, is shown leaving the British Embassy at Washington for a conference with President Wilson. It is the custom of the Governor-Generals of Canada to visit the United States shortly after their installation and call on the President. Left to right are Colonel Ridgely, military aide to President Wilson; Ambassador Cecil Spring-Rice, who is about to return to England; Captain Buckley Johnson, military aide to the Duke of Devonshire; the Duke of Devonshire, Captain Ridley, of the Duke's staff; Third Assistant Secretary of State Long, and Colonel Henderson, military secretary to the Duke.

Enforcing Attendance Law.

John U. Gillette, district superintendent of schools, second supervisory district, has been notified by the chief of compulsory attendance division, Albany, N. Y., that the public money withheld from district six, Gardiner, will soon be paid over to the town board of education, the attendance having been quite satisfactory during the past year. The time is about up for forfeiture. The only way to be sure of public money is to enforce the law. The teachers who keep the record of attendance, attendance officers and boards of education, under the compulsory education law, are the main factors in the enforcement of the law.

Awarded Bronze Medal.

The Regents of the University of the State of New York who assisted the Liberty Loan Committee last fall offered a bronze medal for the best essay written by the students of the high schools of each assembly district of the state, the essay to be based upon information gained from the source book. District Superintendent John U. Gillette of the second supervisory district has been informed by State Commissioner Finley that such medal has been awarded to Gertrude Aucamoor, of the high school Highland, Principal E. A. Marsh, and to present the medal on behalf of the commissioner of education.



DISTINCTIVE GARB URGED FOR "SAFETY FIRST" FIGHTERS.

Senator Wesley L. Jones of Washington introduced a bill before the house which suggests new regulations as to the uniforms in the American service whereby a differentiation might be made between the garb of the men who do the actual fighting and the "safety first" men who sit at desks far from the danger zone. In the course of the debate on the bill, Senator W. J. Stone of Missouri said: "There are thousands of men in France and elsewhere today wearing uniforms who never do and never expect to get within sound of the hostile guns. You know and I know there has been a clamor and a seeking after these positions which are labeled 'Safety First'."

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Velvet corduroy, cuff bottom, well made, several shades.

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\$1.00

In plain, staple colors, with ear lappers, full cut. Sizes 6 3/4 to 7 5/8.

Work Shoes
\$2.50

Mountain last, tan, heavy, well made.

BOYS' OVERCOATS

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Boys' Mitts
25c

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Aviation Caps in blue only. Hockey Caps red, gray, blue, white and combinations.

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Worth \$2.00. In dark oxford and maroon. Heavy knit.

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Knieker suits, norfolk models. Velvet corduroy, well made.

KINGSTONIANS TO CARE FOR CHILDREN

Realizing the terribly distressing conditions in many New York homes where never before has it been necessary to ask for outside aid, several families in this city are now entertaining the sixteen children whom Father Lange brought up last week to escape the suffering in their homes. The absolute lack of fuel in many cases, and great shortage in others, together with the increasingly high cost of living, have brought several families connected with St. Bartholomew's and Grace Churches in New York City to a state of emergency, where the offer to provide a good home for their children for a few weeks at least, has been gladly accepted, and those families now entertaining these children find that they are gaining quite as much as the children by having them in their homes. Several families have signified their wish to take one or two children this week, and tomorrow Father Lange will go to New York for the children. There have not been, however, enough offers received by the three rectors of the Episcopal Churches to provide homes for all of the children who are hoping to come to Kingston, so that any person feeling that they can help in this merciful work are asked to telephone this evening—stating whether they can take one or two children—to either of the three rectors as follows: The Rev. Father Lange, phone 959; the Rev. J. J. Bott, phone 972-W; the Rev. J. I. Blair Larned, phone 361-W.

There may be those who would like to help in this work but are unable to take any child into their own home. In such case gifts of money to go toward paying for the traveling expenses of the children will be very gladly received by either of the rectors. This is a most beneficent work, a very practical expression of Christianity, and it is hoped that several more people will telephone this evening that they will take one or two children when Father Lange goes to New York tomorrow.

CLEARWATER DINES NOTED LAWYERS

The New York newspapers of Saturday evening stated that Judge Clearwater, former president of the New York State Bar Association, gave a luncheon on Saturday at the Century Club to the Duke of Devonshire, K. G., Governor General of Canada, Judge Charles Evans Hughes, president of the New York State Bar Association, Sir Charles Davidson, of the Supreme Bench of the Province of Quebec, Canada, Colonel Peers Davidson and Lieutenant Colonel Henderson, of the British Army, Captain Dudley, aide-de-camp to the Duke of Devonshire; Henry J. Kavanaugh, K. C., Baronier of the Montreal Bar; Sir James Aikins of Winnipeg, Frank H. Haddock, Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals; Judge Almet F. Jenks, Presiding Judge of the Appellate Division of the Second Department; Elihu Root, Judge Morgan J. O'Brien, Henry W. Taft, Judge Alton B. Parker, Judge George L. Ingraham, President Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia University, De Lancey Nicoll, William D. Guthrie, Frederick E. Wadham, Secretary of the State Bar Association, and Judge Orin N. Carter, of the Supreme Court of Illinois.



MRS. EYLA HASTINGS, BRITISH WAR NURSE TELLS OF GERMAN PRISON CAMP HORRORS.

Mrs. Eyla Hastings, whose husband was killed while serving as a lieutenant in the British army in the battle of Loos, is visiting in Chicago. Mrs. Hastings served as a nurse in the Fourth London General Hospital. In speaking of her experience she said:

"I have seen great big heavy 'Tommy' just exchanged from German prison camps carried fighting in their delirium into padded cells, incurably insane because of their unbelievable torture experienced while German prisoners."

TWOPENCEA DAY AND PRAYER FOR BOYS

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Kingston Y. M. C. A. was held on Friday afternoon last at the Y. M. C. A. 120 members being present. Interesting reports were given by the officers and chairman of standing committees, showing excellent work and much of it done the past year. The work for the year 1918 was briefly outlined, and a plan was adopted whereby every member of the auxiliary, with during the next four months, February, March, April and May, give toward and live up to the slogan, "Twopence a day and a prayer for the boys of Kingston."

The business session adjourned to listen to an interesting talk on "The Relation of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Boys' Department," given by Secretary F. L. Thornberry. During the social hour which followed, Mrs. S. T. Hines rendered several pleasing selections on the piano. Mrs. Godfrey, Mrs. Christian, Mrs. Blues, Mrs. Dressel, Mrs. Beers and the Misses Askam and Hyde were the acting hostesses.

During the business session the following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. Frank R. Powley; first vice president, Mrs. Putnam Cady; second vice president, Mrs. Charles R. O'Connor; recording secretary, Mrs. F. L. Thornberry; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Harry B. Walker; treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Gates; standing committee chairmen: boys' work, Miss Idella Hyde, membership, Mrs. William Shafer, reception and entertainment, Mrs. J. C. Snyder, supplies, Mrs. C. P. Hendricks and Mrs. A. D. Rose; calling, Mrs. Weeks; flowers, Mrs. Carr; house, Mrs. William Longyear; devotions, Mrs. Kingman.



SENATOR WILLIAM S. KENYON, KENYON DECLARES ALSACE-LORRAINE NOT U. S. WAR ISSUE.

In a violent attack on J. Hohenzollern, Senator William S. Kenyon, of Iowa, called upon America to mass all its endeavors on crushing the military autocracy of Germany. In his speech in the Senate recently, Senator Kenyon also defined his attitude on America's interest in the matter of France and Alsace-Lorraine. On the latter point the Senator said: "Lloyd-George defined Great Britain's terms a few days ago. I do not believe our people would be willing to fight on in order that Alsace and Lorraine might be returned to France. We would not cavil about that, however, as that is merely incidental. Our purpose is well defined—to end the menace of Prussian militarism. If out of that should come Alsace and Lorraine to France we will rejoice; but we are not fighting for that. Different allies may have different objects and hence fight together without binding each to the particular object of the other."

About Advice.

The worst thing about advice, observes a writer, is that those who are qualified to give it never do, and those who insist upon serving you with a full, seven-course table d'hôte meal of it, always prove to be the worst of chefs.

SALE OF GOSSARD CORSETS

Continues This Week, \$2.95 to \$3.95

Values are offered in this sale that would astonish you even under ordinary conditions. In fact, the very impossibility of securing further supplies of certain high grade materials, has served to create this entirely unlooked for opportunity. The H. W. Gossard Co. have found it necessary to discontinue certain models, for which the present materials can no longer be secured.

The models are new, front lace, correctly designed to meet every figure requirement. Don't let this opportunity go by, when it means such a saving in standard make corsets. Priced \$2.95 to \$3.95.

Children's Coats

You will be a wise mother if you prepare for next winter, especially in the purchase of your child's winter coats. Styles do not change much in children's coats. Therefore these prices should be interesting to you. Coats of Zibiline, Wool, Velour, Corduroys, Plush, Velveteens and Mixtures. All sizes from 4 years to 14 years will be offered in this Pre-Inventory Sale at much reduced prices.

Remnants of Wool Goods at 1-2 Price

Included in this lot of wool remnants are serges, fancy mixtures, plaids and stripes, colors and blacks, lengths enough for children's dresses and skirts. Sold at exactly one-half the marked price.

Special Values In Waists

G. A. Hart & Co. have always been known for their big values in waists at their special sales, and this one is no exception. We offer in this lot fine Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, Satin, Silks and Flannels, all sizes, late models, all colors, were \$2.95 to \$8.00. Pre-Inventory sale, \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.25.

Sale of Coatings

54 and 56 inch Boucle and Fancy Mixtures, all wool, excellent for children's and women's coats, value up to \$3.50. Pre-Inventory Sale price, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Jewelry 5c and 10c

Odd lot of Jewelry, Bar Pins, Brooches, Hat Pins, Tie Clasps, etc., worth up to 50c, each, sale price 5 to 10c.

Silk Dresses Reduced

Silk Dresses of Satins, Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine, Taffeta and Georgette, all this season's models, in green, plum, brown, navy, black. Beautifully made, Fine for afternoon and evening wear, reduced to the following prices:

Silk Dresses were \$12.50 now \$ 6.75
Silk Dresses were \$15.00 now \$ 7.50
Silk Dresses were \$22.50 now \$13.50
Silk Dresses were \$25.00 now \$10.50
Silk Dresses were \$29.50 now \$23.50
Silk Dresses were \$35.00 now \$25.00

Serge Dresses Reduced

This is your opportunity to save as you are well aware that wool goods will be higher than at present. Here you can buy a fine serge dress, beautifully made, either plain tailored or embroidered trimmed in colors of navy, brown, mode, plum, green and black. Some fur trimmed, others Satin collars and Georgette trimmed, at a big saving. All sizes 16 to 40. Some Jersey dresses included.

Dresses that were \$15.00 now \$10.00
Dresses that were \$17.50 now \$13.50
Dresses that were \$22.50 now \$15.00
Dresses that were \$27.50 now \$19.50
Dresses that were \$29.50 now \$21.50
Dresses that were \$32.50 now \$22.50
Dresses that were \$35.00 now \$25.00

Children's Silk Dresses Reduced

Limited number to sell; beautiful 100c, green and navy; 10 to 14 year sizes.

\$10.00 Dresses, now \$ 7.50
\$12.50 Dresses, now \$10.00
\$15.00 Dresses, now \$12.50

Laces 25c Yard

Fine lot of Shadow Laces, wide width to 18 inches. Value up to 75c. Pre-Inventory Sale price, yd. 25c.

Boy
Wanted

G. A. HART & CO.
KINGSTON, N. Y.

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SHOPPING ON SKATES.
THE LATEST FAD IN GOTHAM, SHOPPING ON SKATES.

The slippery condition of New York streets, due to the recent cold spell could not keep the pretty Major sisters, Estelle and Hilda, from venturing forth on a shopping expedition. They hit upon the novel plan of skating on ice skates and are shown sauntering forth on their tour of the shops. Most New Yorkers were skating about town on their ears, but the Major sisters have started a fad which bids fair to become quite popular.

Colors of Sardines.

The fresh sardine is a beautiful little fish. The scales on its back are an iridescent blue-green, the exact tint which the sea often takes, while beneath the scales there shows up the most wonderful peacock blue. There are bars on its back and sides when it first comes out of the water like those on the scales, but they seem to fade and disappear the moment it is exposed to the air. The rest of its body is pure silver.

To Protect the Patient.

A physician said this is one of the best aids to a speedy recovery from pneumonia: Make a tight-fitting jacket of cheesecloth, sleeveless, and interline with two thicknesses of sheet cotton. Line with the cheesecloth. Fasten in front with snaps; it is worn next the skin. It is best to have two of these little coats. They protect the patient from any chance draft when changing the clothes or bedding.

OPERA
HOUSE

15c-TODAY-10c

2:30, 7:15 and 9:00

Admission 15c

Admission 10c

AUDIT-
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OPERA HOUSE TODAY AUDITORIUM TUESDAY

Goldwyn presents for the first time on the screen the world's most popular and daring personality

MARY GARDEN, in
"THAIS."

From the famous novel by Anatole France. This production tells the amazing story of the Saint who became a sinner and a sinner who became a saint.

OPERA HOUSE TODAY

Florence La Badie and H. E. Herbert in the Cinema Sensation of the Hour

"THE MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY"

A lavish screen production of Edward Everett Hale's classic of Patriotism. A warning to slackers. A message to Patriots. ALSO ANIMATED WEEKLY NEWS. ADMISSION 15c

OLIVE TELL

The exquisite Charles Frohman Stage Star, supported by DAVID POWELL and a distinguished cast in

"HER SISTER."

Adapted from Charles Frohman's Broadway success—from a story of New York today.

AUDITORIUM WEDNESDAY

MORE RED TAPE BY FOOD COMMISSION

Signs Telling Price, Weight, etc., Must be Affixed to Many Food Products—Will Mean Much Extra Work for Wholesalers and Retailers.

A new ruling adopted by the State Food Commission, and which will go into effect in later county on January 19, orders that retail grocers must have signs affixed to certain food products, these signs to designate kind, grade, retail price, etc., for a definite weight, measure or numerical count at which the food is sold.

In the counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens, Richmond, Suffolk, Nassau and Westchester, this ruling went into effect on January 19th; in all other counties of the state the rule will go into effect on January 19.

The various provisions of the ruling are rather complicated, and no one seems to know for just what purpose it was made. It hardly seems as if the new ruling can accomplish anything along the lines of food conservation, and its only obvious purpose, perhaps, is to protect the consumer from being imposed upon when he is buying food products.

In order to enable retail grocers to comply with the rule, it will be necessary on and after the dates mentioned as applicable to the various counties, for wholesalers to prepare to bill out the goods covered by the rule according to kinds and grade.

In order that retail grocers may comply with the rule, wholesalers will be required to send definitely on their invoices the kind, grade, and price of the commodity to which the rule applies. The retailers will use the wholesaler's invoice as their guide in making their price tags. Prices per unit of weight, measure, or numerical count must be displayed on the signs by the retailers. The rules now in effect in New York, and to go into effect here are as follows:

Rule.
1. Every retailer in New York county dealing in bread, butter, American cheese, cabbage, corn meal, dried beans, eggs, macaroni, milk, oatmeal, onions, prunes, potatoes, sugar and what flour, during the whole of the time such foods are exposed for sale in a retail store or market, shall affix a sign to each or place a sign near them as follows:

Where such food is exposed for sale in a container, and the container is sold with the food, a sign stating the kind, grade and retail price of the contents shall be affixed to, or exhibited as near to the food as possible.

Where such food is exposed for sale in a container but the container is not sold with the food, a sign shall be affixed to the container stating the kind, grade and retail price of the food, and a sign shall be affixed to the food, stating the kind, grade and retail price of the food, and a sign shall be affixed to the food, stating the kind, grade and retail price of the food.

Such signs shall be written or printed plainly in the English language, in letters large enough so they may be read ten feet away, and placed where they may be seen easily by the buyer. If one-half or more of the retail dealer's customers speak a foreign language, such signs may be written or printed plainly in that language also.

2. It shall be a violation of law to sell such foods in a retail store or market unless the dealer has complied with this rule.

3. All details will be furnished upon a request with a copy of this rule, and must keep it posted in their stores where the public can see it.

4. This rule takes effect on and after January 19th, 1918.

5. Any violation of this rule will be prosecuted according to law.

List of articles to which the rule applies:

Beans.
Lima, domestic.
White Small, domestic.
White, choice Imp.
Kidney, Red Domestic.
Kidney, Red Imported.
Rice.

Butter.
Whole Head.
Bulk, Blue Rose.
Bulk, broken.

Cornmeal.
Yellow, granulated.
White Southern, fine.

Flour.
Wheat, Spring, Hard.
Wheat, Winter, Hard.
Wheat, Soft.

Macaroni or Spaghetti.
Bulk, domestic.

Milk.
Factory, wrapped 16 oz.
Store, wrapped 16 oz.

Onions.
California, 10-15.
California, 15-20.
California, 20-25.
Oregon, 10-15.
Oregon, 15-20.
Oregon, 20-25.

Candied Storage, No. 1.
Peaches.
White, U. S. No. 1.
Onions.
Red, fancy.

ODDS AND ENDS.

There will be a meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association of School No. 6 on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association of School No. 6 will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The January meeting of the Parent Teachers' Association of School No. 2, will be held Tuesday afternoon, January 15, at 1:30 o'clock in the school. Dr. Van Housen, who will deliver a short address and also important business will be discussed. A large attendance is desired.

The ladies who are making the hospital underwear for the Red Cross under direction of Mrs. Hayes, are requested to meet this evening at 7 o'clock in the Red Cross headquarters. All ladies who had snipping at the Y. M. C. A. under the direction of Mrs. Hayes are also requested to meet this evening at Red Cross headquarters.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Mary Ann, widow of Joseph Ann, died Sunday at the home of her son, Joseph Ann, 25 Willow street, aged 71 years. The funeral was held this afternoon from the home of her son and thence to St. Mary's Church. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Lazarus Fisher died Sunday of acute indigestion Saturday evening at the home of his son, Charles Fisher, 400 Third avenue, aged 79 years. Mr. Fisher was born in Germany and had been a resident of this city over forty years. He was a life member of St. Peter's R. C. & A. Society. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning from the residence of his son at 8:15 o'clock and thence to St. Peter's Church. Interment will be made in St. Peter's cemetery.

Mary Prendergast Bailey, wife of Stephen J. Bailey, died at her home in New York City Sunday evening. Besides her husband she is survived by two brothers, Thomas and Richard Prendergast, and one sister, Miss Nora Prendergast. She was a daughter of the late Richard and Mary Prendergast, former residents of Port Green. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon upon the arrival of the 2:20 West Shore train, with interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

Snelle Schultz, wife of Matthew F. Dero, died this morning at her home at St. Henry. She was a daughter of John L. Schultz of Esopus, and besides her husband and one son, Schuyler C. Dero, is survived by her father and three brothers, Charles E. Schultz and Herbert L. Schultz, both of St. Henry, and Schuyler C. Schultz of this city. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with interment in the St. Henry cemetery.

Mary Jane Griffin, widow of Sanford H. Griffin, died at her home, No. 125 Hunter street, Sunday morning after a short illness, aged 82 years, 6 months and 15 days. Mrs. Griffin lived for 11 years in Kingston and was respected by her many friends and acquaintances. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Barr, John, William C. and Mrs. Georgiana Simmons, all of this city. She is also survived by 12 grand children and four great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from her late residence, No. 125 Hunter street, Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to interment in Montrose cemetery.

New York Produce Market.
Wheat.—Unchanged.
Corn.—Firm. No. 2 yellow, new, 151; No. 3 yellow mixed, 17.
Oats.—Strong. Fancy white, 98; No. 1 ordinary clipped, 97 1/2; No. 2, 96 1/2.
Rye. Firm. No. 1 western, 191; No. 2, 190.
Barley.—Firm. Malt, 110; No. 1, 135 c. f. Buffalo; feeding 120 c. f. Buffalo.

Hay.—Firm. No. 1, 150; No. 2, 155; No. 3, 145; clover mixed, 155; No. 1, 150.
Straw. Firm. No. 1 straight rye, 15 a ton.
Flour.—Unchanged.
Potatoes.—Firm. White, nearby, 200; 525; Bernadotte, 100; 750; southern, 200; 100; Jersey sweets, 100; 250.

Dressed Poultry.—Firm. Chickens, 22; 15; fowls, 22; 30; 1; turkeys, 20; 24; ducks, 25; 28; geese, 20; 25.
Live Poultry.—Firm. Chickens, 22; 24; fowls, 22; 30; 1; turkeys, 20; 24; ducks, 25; 28; geese, 20; 25.

Butter.—Firm. Bulk and fresh, Creamery extra, 16; 32; creamery firsts, 43; 52; higher scoring, 52; 54; state dairy tubs, 45; 50; 51; process extra, 42; 52; 53.
Eggs.—Strong. Near to white, fancy, 72; 73; nearby in white, 68; 69; 71; extras, 67; 68; firsts, 65.

Milk. The nominal "wholesale" price is 7 c. 15 cents a quart delivered in New York.

Stuyvesant 8 Percent Dividend.

At the annual meeting of the Stuyvesant Hotel Company held this afternoon at the Stuyvesant hotel the following officers were re-elected: President, Mr. James C. Venable; Secretary, Mr. A. Becker; Treasurer, Mr. C. W. Wynn; Directors, Mr. C. W. Wynn, Mr. A. E. Wynn, Mr. C. W. Wynn, Mr. A. E. Wynn, Mr. C. W. Wynn.

A dividend of 8 per cent was declared.

Cold Aids the Devil.

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Washington, Jan. 14.—The success of Billy Sunday's campaign against the devil in Washington was threatened by a severe cold today. The evangelist could hardly speak and a throat specialist was called in. This is Billy's regular "day of rest."

SOCIETY NOTES.

The Daughters of Isabella will hold a card party on Saturday afternoon at the Knights of Columbus Home on Broadway for the benefit of the charity fund. Games will start promptly at 2:30 o'clock. Those who do not desire to play can bring their sewing, thereby helping the Daughters financially in this most worthy cause, so much needed at this time. Refreshments will be served. The public is most cordially invited.

Decor-Tenolds.

The marriage of George Deor of Catskill and Miss Agnes Reynolds of Saugerties took place in Saugerties Friday. Mr. Deor is a popular young man of Catskill and formerly worked for the Union Pacific Tea Company. His former employer has been acting as a special deputy sheriff for the West Shore Railroad, guarding the creek bridge—Catskill Mail.

Fun-Jine Society to Entertain Federation.

The regular general meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs will be held on Saturday of this week, January 19, at 2:30 o'clock at the lecture room of the Fair Street Reformed Church. The Sunshine Society will entertain the federation. Mrs. Frederick Bidwell, the district chairman being the guest of honor and the speaker for the afternoon. Reports will also be given.

The Coterie.

Mrs. Gates was the hostess at last Saturday afternoon's meeting of The Coterie. Mrs. Kingman had the first paper for the afternoon, her subject being "The Other End of the Hemisphere." Starting with the discovery of the Straits of Magellan Mrs. Kingman took the club members through the straits and among the many islands, mostly having English names. Unlike other straits, the Strait of Magellan was found to have a shore line differing widely in character and different notes. Terra del Fuogo with its gold mining, superceded by cattle and sheep raising as being more profitable, was described, and said to be so richly fertile like Norway. The trip also included the most southern city of the world. This very interesting paper was followed by another of equal interest in "Paraguay and Uruguay," given by Miss Huber. The early and turbulent history of the former was noted and a vivid description was given of its present resources which are rich indeed. Its present population was said to be largely German and Italian. Uruguay, though smaller, was considered as the veritable garden spot of the world, as every bit of the soil is available for cultivation. Here the people are largely immigrants, being for the most part Italians and Spaniards. The afternoon's program closed with a fine paper on current events, given by Miss Hale, in which she compared the various peace propositions of the day, the Doherty-Gorman situation, and the Lloyd George and Wilson peace statements of the attitude of the allies. The prohibition amendment and woman's suffrage were also considered, all interestingly. The Coterie will meet again in two weeks at the home of Mrs. H. H. Thompson.

Red Cross Benefit Intelligently Gifted Musical.

In spite of the difficulty and even danger of writing about for pedestrians on Saturday afternoon, there was a creditably large attendance at the Red Cross Benefit Musical given at the home of Miss Nettie Barham, a sister of the St. James M. E. Church and teacher of music, on Chapel street.

The object of the afternoon, Miss Barham, made her first appearance before a Kingston music-loving audience, most of whom were already most familiarly acquainted with Miss Barham's soprano, and the other performer for the afternoon.

The program opened with the Beethoven Sonata, Op. 27, No. 1, a composition making serious and certain demands upon a well-schooled concert player. Miss Barham, who has "never slacked" still in maintaining a well-remembered creditable reputation of 1853 Soprano, her technique is just surprising and her phrasing and shading were excellent. In conversation with the young lady after the recital, one was surprised to find that this was the number on the program which she had been and having added to her personal efforts that of a serious pianist, it was plain to be seen that her greatest of piano-forte masters had taken a note on both her heart and mind and was speaking new fields of musicianship before the young artist.

The "Czech Love Song," by Smith, with its rhythmic swing and spirit was admirably sung by Miss Barham. Her "Love Song" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece. The "Czech Love Song" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece. The "Czech Love Song" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece.

A group of three numbers, widely differing and played from memory, by Miss Barham, were McDowell's "Scherzo," "Love Song," and "Scherzo." The "Scherzo" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece. The "Scherzo" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece.

Two of the most delightful numbers of the afternoon were the Irish songs, sung by Miss Barham. Beautiful in character as well as in music, the "Scherzo" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece. The "Scherzo" was a most beautiful and well-rendered piece.

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Charm. (County Antrim) was full of charm as sung by Miss Freer, and she was obliged to respond to an encore.

The program closed with a brilliant and difficult "Concert Waltz" by Fritz, in which Miss Ferrell did some of her finest playing of the afternoon and after which, she too, was called upon for an encore.

Miss Freer was very acceptably accompanied during the afternoon by Miss Barham at the piano.

In addition to an afternoon of most enjoyable music, the "First County Chapter of the Red Cross" will be given a nice little sum of money. The recital as arranged by Miss Barham and given by the two young ladies was fully appreciated by the Red Cross representatives present.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Jan. 14.—There was a steady tone to the stock market at the opening today with price changes confined to fractions. Steel Common 1 from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2. Common 1 from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2. Common 1 from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2.

Trading during the early forenoon was without special feature, price changes being generally ruled by the trading element on the floor. Steel Common ranged from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2. Steel Common 1 from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2. Steel Common 1 from 92 1/2 to 91 1/2.

The market continued dull in the afternoon. American Smelter rose 1/2 point to 51 1/2. American Smelter rose 1/2 point to 51 1/2. American Smelter rose 1/2 point to 51 1/2.

Quotations given by C. D. Halsey & Co., 15 Broad street, New York city, branch office, Warren building, 260-271 Broadway, New York.

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ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, Jan. 14.—William Milnebaugh of Camp Dix spent a few days the past week at his home on Canal street.

Mrs. James Myers has returned from a visit of several weeks with her daughters, Mrs. Albert Johnson, at Montclair, N. J., and Mrs. L. R. Snyder, at Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Grocer Hornbeck was confined to his home several days with an attack of grip.

Miss Catherine Hornbeck has gone to Poughkeepsie to take a position at Vassar College. Catherine will be missed from church and Sunday school, also by a large circle of friends.

Mrs. Robert Scherb has returned from a visit with her son, Richard Scherb, and family at Union Hill, N. J.

Miss Anna Levin of New York is visiting her parents on West Canal street.

President Louis A. Hornbeck and Mrs. Hornbeck expect to start this week for Miami, Fla. During Mr. Hornbeck's absence from the village his affairs will be in the hands of Frank J. Potter, so appointed by the trustees at their last meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Freer of New York have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Freer, on Market street.

Miss Charles M. of Catskill spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank J. Potter, and family, on Park street.

Charles received his friends from Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Webb, announce her arrival at Hotel DeSoto, New Orleans, Fla.

Cards from Mr. and Mrs. George D. Edsall inform friends of their home presently located at Orlando, Fla., a city of beautiful flowers, fine churches and public buildings are situated and fifty miles from Jacksonville, Fla., where they spent some time.

Mrs. O. R. Schuyler and Mr. F. T. Schuyler returned to Ellenville, N. Y., after spending a month at their home in Ellenville.

The high school choir club is planning for a public concert benefit for the Red Cross at the high school auditorium Friday evening. An orchestra has been formed and it is being trained every week by Prof. Emil Reicher.

The Episcopalian Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will hold its regular meeting for study at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. George H. Smith Tuesday evening.

The January meeting of the M. E. Church will be held in the M. E. Church on Wednesday afternoon. All members are invited to be present. An interesting program, as arranged by the president, will be given.

Mrs. Thomas Dow of Jersey City, N. J., returned to Ellenville, N. Y., after spending the week end with her sister, Mrs. William Wagner, Mrs. Dow came up for the purpose of attending the Episcopalian Missionary Society of the M. E. Church on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Josephine Barham has returned to New York after a visit of a week or two with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Barham.

The many friends of Miss J. T. Barham are much pleased to know she is recovering from a serious illness of some trouble.

The new officers of the Episcopalian Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, elected on Sunday, Alfred N. Rapp, president, and Alfred N. Rapp, president, and Alfred N. Rapp, president.

Among other things he spoke in high praise of the work of the Y. M. C. A. He also said he would like the human "Bible" as the "Bible" in closing, which was rendered, Mr. Rapp leading.

A word of commendation is due our local coal dealers who have handled the coal situation here in such a way as to give us coal as we need it. No one has been unable to get enough coal to keep going which is much better than in many places.

Home of the New York, son of Mrs. L. B. Smith, of Ellenville, is now with the Aviation Corps in Texas.

Mr. John Van Horn, who he a master carpenter, home of the New York, son of Mrs. L. B. Smith, of Ellenville, is now with the Aviation Corps in Texas.

A number of letters have been received by Mrs. Hornbeck the past week or two from the district and advised home boys in camp returning congratulations for all that has been done for them, by way of warm articles, comfort kits, etc., and so many small in highest praise of the comfort attending them, also of the good work of the Y. M. C. A. Some of the home boys have "over there" last week, so parents' hearts have been made more sad by the news received.

"Church of Gold."
There is no structure just like St. Mark's in Venice, in the world, notes the Kingston City Journal. Its bulb-shaped domes and minaret-like bell-towers remind the visitor of the Orient. It seems more like a Mohammedan than a Christian temple. In the facade are scores of variously colored marble columns, each one a monument and all possessing an evanescent history. Some are from Ephesus, others from Smyrna, others from Constantinople and more than one even from Jerusalem. St. Mark's is the treasure house of Venice, a place of pride as well as prayer. The work of beautifying this old church was carried on for five centuries, and each generation tried to outdo all that had preceded it. The walls and roof are so profusely covered with mosaics and precious marbles that it is easy to understand why St. Mark's has been called the "Church of Gold."

Greatest Fan in the World.
A museum in Cairo, Egypt, has the oldest fan in the world, this dating from the seventeenth century B. C.

DAIRY FACTS

BUILDING UP A DAIRY HERD

Essentials Are Careful Selection, Intelligent Breeding and Skillful Management.

Careful selection, intelligent breeding and skillful management are fundamental in the profitable upbuilding of the dairy herd. By the use of economy and good judgment the improvement of a herd need not be expensive.

Careful selection is the first step in the building up of a dairy herd. Selection naturally begins with the elimination of all low producers. Every owner of dairy cows should establish a definite standard and all cows that do not measure up to the requirements should be rejected. One hundred and fifty pounds of butterfat a year is a fair minimum for most localities. Whether a cow is to be rejected or retained should depend ordinarily on production as shown by the Babcock test and the scales. Only the best heifer calves from the most productive cows should be raised.

High-Producing Holsteins.

When Alone It Is Liable to Cause Indigestion—Feeding is Vastly Important.

Separator milk is not a balanced ration for calves. On this feed alone, and the way it is usually given to them, they are liable to get indigestion, as shown by a bloated condition, capricious appetite and diarrhea. Most of the trouble can be avoided by adding a handful of oat meal, to cornmeal or cottonseed meal, to supply, in a way, the fat that has been removed in the skimming.

The milk should be given to them warm and never when it is frothy. Never allow a calf to drink all of the milk that it wants at one meal. It is a bad practice to allow several calves to drink out of one trough, some of them will get too much. Care in feeding calves is of vastly more importance than "cures" for calf scour.

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FRANK MCNALLY, 530 Broadway.
W. O'BRIEN, 570 Broadway.
J. J. O'BRIEN, 742 Broadway.

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FOR SALE—House, No. 34, 11th St., John J. White.

FOR SALE—Portland elaph, first class condition. Inquire 15 Downs St.

FOR SALE—Fine lot of Rhode Island, 1000 bushels stone lime. J. A. Miller, Hurley, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Pair of bobs and cutter. 537 Abel St.

FOR SALE—4000 bushels stone lime. J. A. Miller, Hurley, N. Y.

FOR SALE—15 tons hay, in mow. E. S. Saiters, Box 131, Sawkill, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Are you interested in an antique machine? Call Thursday afternoon 10 and 2 o'clock, at 110 Foxhall Ave.

FOR SALE—Household furniture, including dining room suite, wash, parlor, and beds, springs, mattresses, couch, organ and other articles. Call afternoon and evening, 12 Linden Ave., up stairs.

FOR SALE—White for robe, Afghan robe, rug, hand-made harness. 312 Washington Ave. Phone 637-W.

FOR SALE—A first class three-story brick factory building, on Catherine St., 40x75 feet, suitable for any purpose, water connection. Apply 32 Strand.

FOR SALE—One 40 horse power tubular boiler, tested to carry 100 pounds steam pressure. Inquire at 112 North Front St., Kingston, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Chickering & Son upright piano, Rosewood case, \$100. 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE—Mahogany upright piano, like new, \$170. 304 Wall St.

FOR SALE—Plain white iron bedstead. Call afternoons or evenings, 180 Pine St.

FOR SALE—Avery Farm Tractor. 118 North Front St.

FOR SALE—50 horses, at all times; one pair mules. Bach & Shapiro, 10 Ann St.

FOR SALE—Bait fish; shiners. Inquire chain ferry.

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TO MAKE SHIRTS
FOR SOLDIERS

Kingston Plant of the Manhattan Shirt Company Receives Government Contract to Make Khaki Shirts—Will Mean Increased Wages and Decreased Production.

Within a short time the entire force of the Manhattan Shirt Company's factory at Field Court in this city will be working on the production of khaki shirts for our soldiers. The work of making these shirts will begin on a small scale this week and will be gradually increased until the entire force and equipment of the plant will be devoted exclusively to filling the government orders.

There will be no increase in the number of employees in the factory, at least at present, and no new machinery will be installed. There are eighty employees now, mostly women, and they will be thoroughly instructed and made capable to turn out the khaki shirts according to the government specifications.

The local factory, along with the other Manhattan factories in different cities, has been turning out "Manhattan" shirts, and it is announced that the Kingston factory will be the only one of the Manhattan factories which will devote its entire output to the government orders.

Mr. Thomas, the superintendent of the local factory, stated today that the government has been negotiating for some little time with the view of having the Kingston factory manufacture the khaki shirts, and that the deal was consummated a short time ago.

More work and more time will be needed on the army shirt than was needed on the product the factory was turning out, and this of course will result in a decrease of the factory's production.

The government contract, however, will mean an increased profit for the firm, and Mr. Thomas stated today that it would result in an increase in the wages of the employees at the Kingston plant.

Gallantry Followed By Fall.

Dr. Daniel Connelly had a severe fall on the ice near his home on Saturday evening. He had been assisting two women over an icy spot on the street and was returning to the sidewalk when both feet slipped and he fell heavily on his shoulder. He went to the home of a patient a few doors away whom he was about to visit and after examination by the nurse in attendance there, found greatly to his relief that he had not sustained any broken bones. He was able to attend to his professional calls today as usual.

Exam For R. F. D. Carrier.

Examination for the county of Ulster, for rural carrier will be held at New Paltz, Ellenville, Kingston and Saugerties on February 9th, 1918, to fill the position of rural carrier at New Paltz, N. Y., and vacancies which may later occur on rural routes from other postoffices in the county of Ulster. Application may be obtained from the above mentioned offices.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 10 Cents.

LOST—Diamond and platinum pendant earrings. Reward, Mrs. John N. Cordis, Lansley Ave. No questions asked.

LOST—Tan bill fold, containing sum of money and census card. Reward, No questions asked. Maben & Walker, 492 Broadway.

LOST—Little brown pup with black nose, answer to name of "Buster." Will find or return to Mrs. F. J. Terwilliger, 97 Cedar St., or call 1521-J.

LOST—Evening of Dec. 31, at Cornell Shop, on Strand or in Broadway, etc. money in pay envelope. Will answer at Freeman Office and receive reward.

FOUND—A small flash light. A. S. Vrooman, 10 Pearl St.

FOUND—On Broadway, gray glove. Owner may have same by calling at the Downtown Post Office, identifying property and paying for this ad.

TO LET—Office and apartments. J. De-Puy, Hasbrouck 240 Fair St.

TO LET—House, Piermont St.; rent \$3. Inquire 122 Highland Ave. Phone 1944-M.

TO LET—3 basement rooms, reasonable 55 Green.

TO LET—5 room flat and bath, all improvements, hot water and heat. \$3. Henry St. 623-M.

TO LET—6 rooms, modern improvements, Stephen St. 514. Phone 1247 or 1496-P.

TO LET—2 5-room flats, with water, gas and toilet. Phone 647-J. 69 Manor Ave.

TO LET—Two flats, in the Develan House, one 3 and one 4. Inquire 150 Fair.

TO LET—Rooms: 136 Prospect St. Apply 142 Clinton Ave.

TO LET—5-room flat; St. James St. N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET—Apartment, 75 Abel St. 50 Room St.; house, 55 East Union St. and 215 Delaware Ave. Estate of John N. Cordis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NICELY furnished room, steam heat and bath; reference required. 755 Broadway.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Join new classes now forming. Day and evening.

EXPERT piano tuning; \$1.50. Monthly, 156 Prospect St. Phone 1247-W.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Hope St.

FURNISHED rooming apartment. Phone 1117.

ROOM with board. 130 Fair St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Green St.

FURNISHED rooms at reasonable prices. Day or week. 215 Foxhall Ave.

Pinch of Poverty.

Next to the proletariat of India and China, the Russian peasant feels the pinch of poverty and hunger more keenly and more frequently than any other citizen on earth, says the National Geographic Magazine.

CHOATE'S THOUGHTS
ON IMMORTALITY

Judge Clearwater Related N-ated Jurist's Conversation With Him Before Members of State Bar Association.

Sunday's New York newspapers contained the tributes of Judge Parker, Judge Edgar M. Cullen, formerly chief justice of the court of appeals; Judge George L. Ingraham, formerly presiding justice of the appellate division of the Second Department; John G. Milburn and Judge Clearwater to the late Joseph H. Choate before the members of the New York State Bar Association. The Sun contains the best account of the proceedings, giving special emphasis to Judge Clearwater's remarks regarding Mr. Choate's belief in immortality. It says that the judge gave a hitherto unrelated incident touching Mr. Choate's belief in the immortality of the soul. "He said that in October, 1916, he and Mr. Choate journeyed together to Rutgers College, where Mr. Choate received the degree of Doctor of Laws.

"On the train going down," said Judge Clearwater, "Mr. Choate said to me, 'Somebody, I think Frank Stetson, tells me you are attending a church in Kingston with which your family has been connected for 250 years. As you are a trustee of Rutgers College, I assume you are a Calvinist.' Well, I said to him, 'I was born of a Calvinist family and always have attended the Reformed Dutch Church, and I suppose I am a Calvinist.'

"Then," said Mr. Choate, "you believe in the immortality of the soul." Now, he said this with that comprehension of lips and intensity of look which characterized his utterances when he was deeply in earnest. I told him of a letter written by Thomas Wentworth Higginson to Edmund Clarence Steadman on the former's eighty-fourth birthday.

"Colonel Higginson said that as the years went by and the shadows lengthened more and more, he thought of the great question of the immortality of the soul. He had read the Darwin, Huxley, Spencer, Trudall, Haeckel and the other evolutionists and materialists and there was a time in his life when he had discarded any notion of survival after death.

"Subsequently he had oscillated like a pendulum from unbelief to belief and back again, but now as the time was approaching when he finally must solve the great problems, his mind was at rest. He believed that the soul of man survived physical death.

"That," said I to Mr. Choate, "is my feeling."

"He put his hand on my knee and said, 'Clearwater, I have pondered much over this great question. I, too, have read the evolutionists and the materialists, the ancients and the moderns.

"You know I was born and brought up in Salem, a singularly puritanical community, and always the atmosphere, spiritual and intellectual, of Salem has to some extent influenced me."

"The view of Colonel Higginson and have concluded, as I soon must solve that grave question, that man does survive physical death."

"I said he, 'Have you ever thought as you worship in that old church at Kingston, that possibly the spirits of your long line of ancestors were present there also? Don't misunderstand me,' said he, 'I don't for a moment believe that there is any communication between the spirits of the departed and the living, but it may be possible that they do frequent the scenes of their former activities, especially the place where they worshipped.'

"He went on to talk most beautifully of the consolation afforded by a belief in immortality, of the emptiness of a life where such a belief was absent, of the vanity of human wishes, the emptiness of worldly honors and the absence of incentive to high and better living if man were destitute of a conviction that his soul was immortal.

"We parted late that afternoon at the Union League here in New York. The next time I saw him I stood upon the reviewing stand of the club as he and Mr. Balfour drove up the avenue amid the cheers and hearty greetings of the people of New York. A few days later I followed all that was mortal of the great advocate down the aisle of St. Bartholomew's as they bore him to his last resting place beneath the shadows of the great trees at Stockbridge, which he loved so well. He had built for himself a great name. He was as modern as tomorrow's sunrise, his memory as immortal as beauty and sorrow. After I have thought whether he had not a vision of jasper walls and amethyst battlements, and that when unseen fingers shined for him the curtains of the dawn, he entered upon an existence the unsullied beauty of which he had looked forward to with longing anticipation."

Westminster Guild.

The young people of the Westminster Guild of the Roundout Presbyterian Church will hold a dime social on Wednesday evening of this week at the chapel of the church. Some of the young people, especially gifted in such lines, will present the farce, "Six Cups of Chocolate," after which games will be enjoyed. Ice cream and cake will be served.

Flaxman Jones's Adventure.

Joseph Jones, the flagman at West Park, drove to Poughkeepsie on Thursday. While there his horse secured in two runaway and he was arrested on a charge of public intoxication and fined \$3. His chum, who made the trip with him, escaped the arm of the law, and his identity was not learned.

Cold Snaps Spect's Frames.

Never leave glasses or spectacles with shell or celluloid frames near a window in cold weather, and never wear them out of doors when the temperature is low. For rims of this sort contract with cold much more than the glass contracts, so they are very likely to break.

ICE HARVESTING
RESUMED TO-DAY

Ice harvesting along the Hudson river was resumed today. The work of harvesting was held up Saturday by the rain and sleet storm of Friday night which covered the ice with water in some places a foot deep. The cold spell of Saturday night and Sunday has tightened up the ice, and made the resumption of the harvesting possible.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Rondout Lodge, No. 343, F. and A. M., in Masonic Hall, corner Strand and Broadway.

Colonial Rebekah Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 35 East Strand.

J. R. B. Smith Lodge, No. 4,473, G. U. O. O. F., at 103 Cornell street.

Maiben Camp, No. 11,156, Modern Woodmen of America, at 635 Broadway.

Division No. 4, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at 635 Broadway.

Marine Engineers Beneficial Association, No. 57, at 15 Hasbrouck avenue.

Abraham Lincoln Circle, No. 193, Protected Home Circle, at J. O. U. A. M. Hall, Henry street.

Camp, No. 30, P. O. A., in Mechanics' Hall, No. 14 Henry street.

Franklin Lodge, No. 37, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Hall, corner of Wall and John streets.

The Sons of Veterans held a special meeting Saturday evening at the home of Commander John Donovan, of O'Reilly street. There was a large attendance.

Sunday the recently elected officers of Kingston Lodge, No. 321, I. O. B. A., were installed at the Hebrew Free School. After the installation a smoker was held. The officers installed were: President, Morris Kaplan; vice president, Samuel Salzbarg; recording secretary, Isidore Sampson; financial secretary, Samuel Kline; treasurer, M. Gordon.

The newly elected officers of Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, No. 53, of Tappan Camp, No. 1, and officers of Tappan Camp, No. 1, will be installed in their rooms, 635 Broadway, on Tuesday evening, January 15. Sister Mary Kloss, past div. v. pres. of Albany, will be the installing officer of the auxiliary. Visitors from Albany Auxiliary and from T. H. Bradley Camp, No. 25, S. V., and Ladies' Auxiliary No. 52 of Newburgh will also be present. All members of Pratt Post, No. 127, Tappan Camp, No. 1, S. V., and Auxiliary 53, are requested to be present.

Deputy Grand Chancellor J. W. Rifenbary and staff of the Fifteenth Pythian district, will make their official visit to Franklin Lodge, No. 37, K. of P., in Pythian Hall this evening and will install the newly elected officers for the year. At the conclusion of the installation, a dedication service will be the feature of the evening, at which time a service flag containing two stars, will be unfurled in honor of the Brother Knights now in service. Prominent Pythian orators will speak, with Mayor Palmer Canfield the principal speaker. At the close of the meeting the refreshment committee will serve a banquet and smoker, at which all Brother Knights will be welcome. From all accounts it is expected that this will prove a banner night for the local lodge.

LETTER TO TWELVE MARCOONS

"C" Is Distributed to Coach Stagg's Chicago Athletics—Sure Things Are Overlooked.

Twelve members of the University of Chicago football squad have been awarded letters for their efforts on the gridiron during the recent season. The announcement of the names of the new "C" men occasioned somewhat of a surprise on the campus, not only because it was the smallest number ever given the coveted honor, but because two men who were regarded as sure things were overlooked.

The players receiving the award were: Block, Bondanski, Brelot, Cochran, Elton, Gorgan, Higgins, Jackson, McDonald, Melina, Moulton and Rouse.

Philites Sign Scout.

Pat Moran has signed Billy Doyle of Portsmouth, Ohio to scout for the Philadelphia Nationals. Doyle enjoys quite a reputation as a scout and is said to have a number of youngsters of ability within his reach.

Athletes in Service.

Harvard boasts 58 varsity athletes in the government's military service. Yale has 55 and Dartmouth 54, exclusively among New England institutions.

Waste of Time.

A little fellow, age four, was repeating a prayer after his mother, ending with "God bless papa, mamma, grandma, brother and sister, and everybody."

"Mamma," said he, "if we had said 'everybody' at the start it wouldn't have taken up so much of God's time."

LOW WEIGHT KEEPS
GOOD JOCKEYS OUT

Shaw, Dugan, Powers, and Others Cannot Make Scale.

Old Timers Outclassed Riders of Present Day Because Jockey Club Persists in Raising a Very Low Scale of Weights.

Old timers on the turf are prone to scoff at the ability of the present-day crop of jockeys now riding in this country. They wall loud and long and sigh the deepest of sighs for the days of Slims, Garrison, Spencer, Sloo and the rest, who rode in the vanished years termed "the good old days."

As a rule, there is little sympathy with those who continually harp on the superiority of athletes of the past over the present. Usually there is no real basis for their contention that participants in sport have grown less skillful with the lapse of years. However, when it comes to the jockey question the old-timer is right. The present rider does not compare with those of ten years ago. They never will regain their prestige, either, as long as the Jockey club persists in racing at the ridiculously low scale of weights now in vogue.

Dugan Is Back.

Willie Dugan, just back from Russia, is a great jockey. He has been riding with marked success in Russia for several years. He was recognized as a top-notch rider here

MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 1918.

Sun rises, 7:28; sets, 4:50.
Weather, clear.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 6 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 22 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Snow tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday in south and southeast portion.

UNION SERVICE WAS AN INSPIRING ONE

The union service of the Fair Street Reformed, the First Dutch and the St. James M. E. Churches, held Sunday evening at St. James Church was largely attended and was of an inspiring nature. The Rev. F. J. Seely, the Rev. J. L. Leeper and the Rev. T. H. Baragwanath, the respective pastors of the three churches, each made a ten minute address, special musical program was rendered. The addresses were of a patriotic nature, and the speakers pointed out the added responsibility of the church in the present situation on this confronting the world.

Two Estates Appraised.

County Treasurer Schantz, as a praiser under the taxable transfer act, has filed his report of appraisal of the estate of Thomas Yarrow, of the town of Wawarsing. The personal property amounts to \$2,134; the real estate is valued at \$2,000; the debts, commissions, expenses of administration, etc., amount to \$35, leaving a net estate of \$4,781. She man Vedder, the executor, was represented by C. Van Wageningen. A. J. Cook appeared for the state comptroller.

County Treasurer Schantz also filed his report of appraisal of estate of Benjamin P. Burger, of town of Esopus. The value of the real estate is \$1,724.74; the debts, commissions, expenses of administration, etc., amount to \$282.16, leaving a net estate of \$1,442.59. Elvira Burger, the administratrix, was represented by Arthur C. Connelly; Andrew J. Cook appeared for the state comptroller.

A Practical Plan.

A prominent local man while commenting this morning upon the suggestion made by a city official here that all of the Protestant churches but three here close down during the winter, and that the Catholic churches work out some plan of union services, in order to conserve the coal supply, stated: "The plan spoken of in The Freeman Friday night is a practical one, and there is no good reason why it cannot be put into execution. With one Protestant church open uptown, one in the central part of the city, and one downtown, nothing would be lost from a religious standpoint, and much coal would be saved. I think that the Catholic churches could work out some plan for holding union services."

Questionnaires Sent Out.

The local board of Division No. 3, at Nanapanoch, has mailed questionnaires to registrants whose order numbers are 115 and 415 inclusive, on January 4, 1918; No. 516 and 618 inclusive on January 7, 1918; No. 619 and 824 inclusive on January 8, 1918; No. 824 and No. 927 inclusive on No. 1546 and No. 1648 inclusive on January 9, 1918; No. 1649 and 1748 inclusive on January 10, 1918; No. 1749 and 1850 inclusive on January 11, 1918. These are to be filled out and returned, within seven days from date, to the local board.

A Geographical Error Corrected.

Thomas Hanrahan, who was picked up drunk on North Front street Monday, was not from Stony Hollow, but from Sawkill.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

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Elmer Palen will have at his next sale, Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 682-684 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., a car load of horses from New York and a car load of horses from New Jersey, single and matched pairs, and his usual run of commission horses.

\$1.00 shirts, 55c; \$1.50 shirts, 75c. Factory seconds. McTAGUE, 48 Broadway.

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I am now running my old bakery again at 201 Foxhall avenue, where I would be pleased to see my old customers as well as new ones. CHRISTIAN SCHWENCK.

The Daily Freeman is on sale at the following stands of the Schenck News Agency in New York city: 102 W. 42nd St. 42nd St. & Park Ave. (opposite Grand Central Depot.) 10th St. & Broadway (S. W. Cor.) 42nd St. & 6th Ave. (S. W. Cor.)

FARM BUREAU MAKES A CHANGE

Manager Hook Resigns or is Turned Out by the Executive Committee—No Successor Yet Chosen.

Wallace H. Hook, who has been the popular and efficient manager of the Ulster County Farm Bureau since its organization, and has made it one of the most efficient in the state, has resigned his position, the resignation having taken effect on January 7th, following a meeting of the executive committee of the bureau. His term expired on January first.



WALLACE H. HOOK.

The meeting of the executive committee on the afternoon of January 7th was not attended by all the members. The transactions of the committee have not been published for the information of the members of the bureau, and no formal announcement has been made by them of Manager Hook's resignation.

It was stated today by one of the members of the committee, who gave the above information, that Manager Hook was engaged from year to year, his term expiring on the first of January. The committee had met on January 7th, and Manager Hook's resignation had been accepted. No successor has been selected but some of the officers of the bureau had been in communication with state officials in regard to securing a new manager for the bureau. It was stated that the fact that Manager Hook had bought a farm for himself near Esopus some time ago, on which he lived and between which and the County Farm Bureau headquarters in Kingston he travelled daily by automobile, which also was used by Mr. Hook in making his trips throughout the county, had something to do with Mr. Hook's resignation.

At a meeting of the committee in November or December when the matter of a possible change was considered at the request of Manager Hook, the committee decided, with one vote in the negative, that it was not wise to make a change at this time.

Another version of the doings of the meeting on December 7, is that a resolution was adopted that Mr. Hook be notified he could have 30 days in which to seek a new position. The members attending this meeting were Chester Young, J. A. Hepworth, F. W. Vail, David Burgevin, A. E. Jansen and Fred Dubois. Mr. Hook being in attendance at a Farm School in Stone Ridge today, The Freeman was unable to interview him.

SHADY.

Shady, Jan. 14.—The Epworth League of the Shady M. E. Church will hold their twentieth anniversary service at the church on Thursday evening, January 17. The Rev. Harry Cornford of Millbrook will deliver an address. All are cordially invited to attend.

Lincoln MacDaniel, who has been ill the past week, is slightly better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Vosburgh and Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Vosburgh spent Friday at the home of Mrs. Annie Mead.

Coming in too is the order of the day at this time.

The people were much pleased to have their pastor, the Rev. C. E. Lohr, with them at the Sunday evening service.

Mrs. Edna Gridley and Miss Margaret Burbans, who are attending high school in Kingston are spending the week end with their parents.

Taking Lessons From Savage.

"We need not be savages to be healthy; but we should make sure the air we breathe, the food we eat, and the water we drink are as pure as those of the savage."—J. H. Kellogg.

Fitted for Job.

"I hear Adele has gone into comic opera." "There was always something supremely sad about that girl."—Life.

Use of Surnames.

The custom of using surnames for Christian names, as exemplified in the cases of Harrison and Mr. Holden, goes back at least three centuries, but the people stuck pretty close to Johns, Edwards and Thomases. In this country we have seen a tendency to use, at baptism, the mother's family name as a middle name for the child. This, no doubt, is leading to more free use of family names as given names. For the most part, however, we are John Henry Smiths.

TALK LESS ABOUT THE WAR

The matter has been brought to the attention of the sub-committee of the Woman's Branch of the Home Defense Committee of this county.

(Mrs. Charles De La Vergne chairwoman of that committee) that there is too much thoughtless and indiscriminate talking about the war and our young men either at the front or en route, carried on by the women of the land. Mrs. De La Vergne in addition to calling the attention of every member of her committee to this matter and such others as the committee may be able to reach, has asked The Freeman to publish the following statement given out by the Massachusetts Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense: "It is natural for a woman to tell friend news which her son or brother has written back from the front or from camp. Strangers, both men and women, have been observed making notes of these conversations, and in this way often learn the date of sailing of some transport or some prospective troop movement."

The committee recommended the following rules which it would be all for both men and women to observe very closely: "Never indulge in war talk of any kind outside of your own home. Never leave about carelessly letters from men in service which tell of possible movements or camp conditions. Read and destroy. Never indulge in telephone conversations upon these subjects. Even sometimes leak."

It might be added to the above, that any expressions of criticism of our government or of our Red Cross, made carelessly, or from any of ignorance or thoughtlessness, are most disloyal, and are one of the worst sources of giving aid and comfort to the enemy whose ears are ever where and at all times open to hear just such disloyal expressions. If any matter must be criticized for the betterment of work, do so about it while you go to the congressional or Red Cross office and make a proper complaint or criticism, stating why you are so acting.

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100,000,000 Bushels of Potatoes Will Save 100,000,000 Bushels of Wheat—Potato Bread Better.

By P. G. HOLDEN.

It is hardly possible to estimate from a standpoint of food conservation the great value of potatoes as a substitute for wheat and other grains in the making of bread.

One hundred million bushels of small potatoes will save 100,000,000 bushels of wheat. About 30 per cent of the annual potato crop in the United States consists of small potatoes which are unmarketable, made little use of, practically wasted, almost a total loss to the country. The small potatoes can be substituted for one-third the wheat flour used in making bread. Potato bread is better bread in every way than bread made entirely of wheat or a combination of wheat and other grains.

The use of potatoes in bread is economical at any time. It is patriotic at this time; it utilizes waste potatoes; saves wheat and other grain which can be exported; saves corn, barley and oats which can be used to produce meats and fats for our soldiers; gives us white, moist and wholesome bread for every meal; does not require extra work for the housewife, nor change the usual custom and practices of the home; means two and one-third wheatless days a week, ten wheatless days a month, four wheatless months a year.



Saves Waste of Potatoes.

Potatoes are grown in every section of the country, found in every home, are a universal food. Every family can produce them. Potatoes are an abundant crop in the United States; the possibilities of increasing the total yield in this country cannot be estimated. Potatoes are a perishable crop—cannot be exported to foreign countries, cannot be carried over from one season to another. The potatoes we grow in this country we must use at home. The nature of potato starch is so nearly the same as wheat flour that there is no difficulty in using this combination in bread making.

Last season the farmers of the United States produced about 440,000,000 bushels of potatoes. About 100,000,000 bushels of this crop were small, irregular, unmarketable potatoes.

I earnestly believe that in no other way can so great a saving be made in food in America with so little labor and so small expense as the use of small potatoes in the making of bread in place of small grains which can be shipped to our soldiers and the fighting armies of the allies to help us win this war.

How to Make Potato War Bread.

Baked or boiled potatoes, mashed or put through ricer, can be substituted for one-third the wheat flour in any standard recipe for making wheat bread, biscuits, pancakes, waffles, doughnuts, pie crust, etc. When potatoes are used, a little less liquid may be required in the mixing.

WHEN ONE IS STRICKEN DEAF

Affliction Accompanied by Depression Strangely and Intensely Overpowering, Says Writer.

The invariable depression that comes with the beginning of deafness is strangely and intensely overpowering. It exists sometimes indefinitely. The word depression, as commonly used, admits of varied shades of meaning, writes Margaret Baldwin, in the Atlantic. It all but carries with it a vague impression of lack of will-power, a more or less voluntary indifference to moral effect. But let no one suppose that its use here indicates any mere dull, dispirited outlook on life, or any other voluntary mental view of one's self or one's future. There is nothing voluntary about it.

It is a feeling deeply physical as well as mental—a mingled condition of woe, sickness and sadness that beggars description. The distress and shock over what has happened to one and the first experience of what it is like, is the initial factor. But considering what it ought to be as compared with the shock of blindness, which, it seems to me, must be sufficient to produce permanent blackest despair, the depression of deafness is out of all proportion.

Marriage or a Career.

A woman writer, herself married and twenty-three years of age, states that a woman who expects to follow an intellectual life should marry young. This is a sound view, for the woman who fully appraises the value of her intellectual life realizes that the best years of the mind are those that come after the age of most efficient child bearing. It is a very different view from that of the young women in professions which serve only to bridge the few brief years between school days and marriage, and for whom marriage closes for all time participation in the world's work outside of the home. Clearly we can never have an intellectual emancipation in the world's work on a program that would confine professional life to the remnant of days or make it incompatible with marriage. The first gives too brief a period and must subordinate woman to inferior clerical labor, while the second would win intellectual equality at the sacrifice of normal life and confine participation in the world's affairs to a small and abnormal group of women. —Physical Culture.

Dislikes of Hens.

"Hens are funny sorts of creatures," observes a poultry fancier. "They have their likes and dislikes—especially dislikes. If you move a hen she turns crusty, and won't lay eggs. She



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This photo shows one of Uncle Sam's expert workmen testing aero plane parts before passing them for service. Thousands of planes are being rushed through in the many big government plants throughout the country and each separate part must go through a severe test before it is passed.

likes her old home, and takes an abominable time to get used to the new.

"If you have a cloth within sight of the occupants of your fowl run, you will hear a shocking row. This particular noise is known as the 'danger signal,' and sometimes I'll be indulged in without a single break for as long as 20 minutes.

"If you take it into your head to rearrange the nest boxes, depend upon it Biddy will pay you out. She will miss that day with her usual egg.

"Provided they are good, it's wisest to stick to old things in poultry-keeping, and not to shift them unless you are compelled to do so. At least, there's one thing you can change, and that's the fodder. Hens won't object to that at all; in fact, they like it."

Elfin Miners.

All over Europe a popular belief prevails that elfin miners are constantly laboring in the bowels of mountains, where they have accumulated enormous stores of precious metals. In Wales they are called "knobers." They make strange noises, the tapping of their picks may be heard in ore bodies not yet reached by the human workman.

Varieties of Mistletoe.

There are more varieties of mistletoe growing about the world than could be named in a column of newspaper print, but the commonest America is that which the botanist Nuttall, named after the Greek word, "tree thief," or phoradendron.

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